

## POSSE SEEKS SLAYER OF GIRL, WHO TRIED TO BURN HER BODY

Wooded Bluffs in Monroe County, Ill., Believed  
to Shelter Perpetrator of Crime on Farm  
Near Waterloo.

## FOOTPRINTS TELL STORY OF FLIGHT AND STRUGGLE

Members of Posse Believe Murderous Assailant  
Was Not Stranger in Neighborhood—  
Man Seen in Field.

A clew was found today to the assailant and murderer of Miss Nora Woodcock, the beautiful 18-year-old girl whose burned and bruised body was found at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon 200 yards from the home of her uncle, William Pryor, nine miles west of Waterloo, Monroe county, Ill., 23 miles south of East St. Louis.

The clew is furnished by Frank Buncher, a farmer, whose place adjoins the Pryor farm. Buncher says he was digging potatoes half a mile from the Pryor home at 8 o'clock Thursday morning, when he glanced up and saw a man approaching the Pryor house.

The man was walking across high ground, and was fully half a mile from Buncher. Buncher did not try to distinguish the man's dress or identity, and resumed his work.

A few minutes later he heard a scream, which he took to be that of a woman or a child. He glanced up again, but saw no one and decided that the cry was that of a child, probably at play.

Buncher says he saw the man only once, and heard only one scream. He is confident, now, however, that the man he saw was the murderer, and that the scream was uttered by Miss Woodcock as she tried to escape her pursuer.

The information from Buncher was given to Sheriff Thomas Ruch and a posse of three men just before they started at 11:30 o'clock this morning to join the posse of farmers who have been searching the woods near the vicinity of the Pryor farm, in the belief that the murderer is hiding there.

These woods are an almost impenetrable fortress, and have been the hiding place of many criminals. There are bluffs and deep valleys and hidden caves among the trees, and only faint bridle paths lead through the forest. A man with food and water could remain securely concealed in them for weeks.

Sheriff Ruch declares that he has no information as to the identity of the assailant, but that there is strong suspicion against a young man living with in a comparatively short distance of the Pryor farm. It was impossible to learn this morning whether this young man was a stranger in the vicinity or had disappeared since the murder.

It will be hard, according to the officers, to fix the crime upon anyone, unless some evidence not yet revealed should be discovered. The murderer's shoe tracks are the only clew found that could fix his identity. There is not a shred of his clothing, a trinket from his pockets, a hat, or any of the hair which his victim in her struggles must have torn from his head in her desperate struggle with him.

While the shoe tracks gave little promise of aid in solving the identity of the murderer, they tell an eloquent story of the terrific battle and long pursuit and chase which preceded the girl's death. They begin at the Pryor home, and lead in unbroken sequence across the plowed field to the spot where Miss Woodcock's half-burned body was found.

Fled Pursuer in Search of Father. The tracks, together with traces of blood, show that the battle began inside or near the Pryor house. The tracks of the man show he approached the house; other tracks show that there was a struggle between the man and the girl a short distance from the doorway.

Then the story of the tracks continues almost as plainly as if written in words. It shows that Miss Woodcock, when she left the house, was running, and was going in the direction of her father, who was at work at a remote part of the field and west of the house.

She had gone 50 yards in this direction when the man caught her, and in the struggle which followed both of them fell to the ground. She broke from him and struggled to her feet, but was evidently prevented from continuing toward her father, as the tracks show she turned toward the northwest.

These tracks continue to a point about 200 yards north of the house, and close to a haystack standing in an open field. Here the tracks show that there was another and a final struggle. The tracks that lead away from the haystack were made by a man alone.

The body of Miss Woodcock, found four or five hours after her death, and the shoe tracks and bits of cloth nearby tell the rest of the story.

Marks about the throat and under the eyes indicate that the girl was choked and

beaten into insensibility at the place of the final struggle, and that her assailant, either believing that she was dead or in such a frenzy as to desire to complete his crime, carried hay and sticks of wood, piled them about the body, ignited the pyre and fled. The flames ate away nearly all of the unconscious girl's clothing, and evidently aroused her, too late to save herself, from her condition of unconsciousness.

She dragged herself, on her hands and knees, from the midst of the fire to a spot 12 feet away. There her weakness overcame her and she fell and died.

The body was found by Richard Woodcock, Jr., the victim's brother, for whom Nora kept house. The brother and sister were the only members of the family, and the sister was mistress only until the time, a few days hence, when the brother was to bring a bride to his home.

It was seldom that Richard left his sister alone, but Thursday he had to go to Waterloo to purchase articles for his wedding. His sister told him she was not afraid.

Woodcock returned shortly after noon, and when he found his sister was not at the house he became alarmed and began a search for her. The search was fruitless, and he found her dead body beside the haystack.

His grief and excitement led him to defer notifying the county officers until after he had run to his father's house with the news. Before the sheriff was notified the murderer had secured at least six hours' start of his pursuers.

Miss Woodcock was one of the prettiest girls of Monroe County. She was small, being only 4 feet 4 inches tall, and weighing only 95 pounds. One of her chief charms was a mass of golden-red hair that fell about her head in great curling waves. She was active and strong, but those acquainted with her say she must have had superhuman strength to contend with her murderer as violently as she evidently did.

May Have Chopped To Missouri Side. Thursday afternoon an inquest was held over the body, which had been taken to the father's home, and a verdict of murder by a person unknown to the jury was returned. Before the inquest was held, however, scores of farmers and their sons had begun their search for the murderer, and they kept it up without intermission throughout the night.

The woods in which it is supposed the murderer first sought a hiding place are about two miles from the scene of the murder. Two miles farther is the Mississippi. His pursuers believe that if he is not hidden in a cave in the woods he has crossed the river to the Missouri side and is hiding in the swamps.

The funeral of Miss Woodcock will be held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The body will be buried in the Pryor cemetery, near her father's home.

Cold Weather To Continue. Light Frost Visits St. Louis, But Does Little Damage—Little Change in Prospect.

"Partially cloudy tonight; Saturday fair; continued cool; fresh to brisk west and northwest winds." This is the forecast from the weather bureau for Friday and Saturday.

A light frost visited St. Louis Thursday night, but did little damage. Philadelphia is today the center of the West India storm that has been raging throughout Florida and the southern states. The storm moved northeastward, carrying heavy winds and rains along the Atlantic coast. Cold rains are falling in the Upper Mississippi valley and the lake regions.

STATE CHAIRMAN RETURNS. Says He Didn't Even Visit Chicago Republican Headquarters.

Chairman Thomas K. Niedringhaus of the Republican state committee spent Thursday in Chicago and returned to St. Louis Friday morning. The Republican national committee has a very busy bureau in the city by the lake, but Mr. Niedringhaus insists he did not even go there and furthermore that "Missouri Republicans don't have to ask Missouri financial aid for the campaign."

"I met Congressman Tawney in the Auditorium Thursday night and we had a short social chat. But from a political standpoint there was nothing doing—nothing at all."

And the state chairman smiled.

## EVERY MAN IN RUSSIAN SCOUT WAS WOUNDED

Tourgenieff's Cossacks Reconnoitering on Japanese Left, Encounters a Strong Force Which Fires Upon Them With Machine Guns, Mowing Them Down.

## EVERY HORSE IN THE COMMAND IS INJURED

Muddy Roads Have Caused a Suspension of Hostilities, Effectually Blocking the Efforts of Both Armies to Maneuver for Position.

MUKDEN, Oct. 21.—Every man of the 300 Cossacks commanded by Capt. Tourgenieff, who on Thursday night reconnoitered the Japanese left southward, and who, near Sandou, unexpectedly encountered a good-sized Japanese force with machine guns, was wounded, and every horse except Capt. Tourgenieff's machine gun.

Tourgenieff, though mortally wounded, carried off one man behind his saddle. As already cabled, not one man was killed on the field.

There is the greatest fear on the part of the Russian wounded of falling into the hands of the Japanese, the Russian being convinced that they torture their prisoners.

## GHASTLY SLAUGHTER OF RUSSIANS SHOCKS WAR CORRESPONDENT GAEDKE

BERLIN, Oct. 21.—Col. Gaedke, war correspondent of the Tagblatt, telegraphed to his paper today from Mukden as follows: Have been unable to telegraph for two days owing to the absence of the censor on the 19th and 20th. Both armies are much fatigued. They occupy positions in close contact. Only an occasional shot breaks the stillness. A general Russian attack appeared to have been planned for the night of Oct. 20, but a freshet in the Shaho river prevented it. The roads and fields are drying slowly. It rained again on the night of the 20th.

The Russian losses were frightful. Single regiments have as few as 50 men left. The Viborg regiment, of which Emperor William is honorary colonel, had 20 officers and 300 men killed. The feeling is accordingly grave. No end is visible of the ghastly slaughter.

BERLIN, Oct. 21.—A dispatch to the Lokal Anzeiger from Mukden today says the Eighth Russian army corps has arrived there and that Gen. Kuropatkin will make new plans immediately.

## WEALTHY MAN DIES AT THE TELEPHONE

Colorado Man Was Trying to Call His Son When Fatal Stroke Came.

Albert Sherwin, a wealthy resident of Leadville, Colo., fell dead in his apartment at the Buckingham Club Friday morning while telephoning to his son for assistance.

Mr. Sherwin was alone in his room when he became ill. He called up his son, William, who was in the office downstairs, and told him to hurry to his room.

While he was speaking he gasped for breath and his son heard him fall heavily to the floor. William ran up to the apartment on the second floor with all speed. He found his father dying on the floor. A physician was hastily summoned and pronounced life extinct.

The home of the Sherwin family was formerly at Elgin, Ill. Mr. Sherwin died of his interests there and went to Leadville several years ago. He and his son had come to St. Louis to see the World's Fair. His death is attributed to heart failure, hastened by the change from the high to the lower altitude and the exertion of seeing the Fair. He was 70 years of age.

His wife has been summoned by telegram. On her arrival the body will be taken to Elgin for interment.

## SIXTEENTH WIFE IN ST. LOUIS

Mrs. Brigham Young No. 16 of Salt Lake City Visits the World's Fair.

Mrs. Amelia Young, sixteenth and last wife of the late Brigham Young, Mormon apostle, is visiting the World's Fair. She is staying at an apartment house in the West End.

Mrs. Young was a Miss Fulsome and married Brigham Young ten years before his death. He built for her the magnificent Amelia Palace, named for her, and one of the show residence places of Salt Lake City. Here she resided until the United States government confiscated certain Mormon church property. While Mrs. Amelia Young resided in Amelia Palace, she left all his wife considerable wealth. His last wife inherited enough property to place her in the class with the rich women of the West. She has traveled extensively throughout the United States and Europe. The date of her departure from St. Louis is said to be uncertain.

## ENERGETIC WORLD'S FAIR HOSTESS WILL CELEBRATE 101ST BIRTHDAY



MRS. NANCY SELF.

Mrs. Nancy Self Keeps Actively at Work in "Old Virginia Homestead," and Spends Leisure Moments in Seeing Exhibits at Exposition.

Mrs. Nancy Self, hostess of the "Old Virginia Homestead" exhibit at the Fair, is the oldest person of the many thousands to whom the Exposition company has issued photograph passes. Mrs. Self was born Oct. 27, 1803, and is now preparing to celebrate the completion of her 101st year next week.

She is in possession of all her mental and physical faculties, and keeps actively at work in her exhibit, demonstrating the uses of her set of hand machinery with

which, almost a century ago, she learned to make linen and cotton and woolen cloths. Frequently she works without her glasses, and she takes great delight in conversing with the scores of visitors whom she entertains daily. She has seen most of the Fair, and has been a close observer of the exhibits.

Mrs. Self is a native Virginian and she has 133 descendants—five children, 132 grandchildren, great-grandchildren and great-great-grandchildren, and one even "greater" grandchild, who is now a miss of 15 years.

PARKER REPLIES TO SECY. TAFT TO POLICE COURT

"More Details Will Be Given," He Says, "When the Democrats Get Hold of the Books."

ESOPUS, N. Y., Oct. 21.—Judge Parker today addressed a delegation from Hudson, N. J., on the subject of administration extravagance, and answering a speech made by Secretary of War Taft, in which the secretary called upon the Democrats to give a bill of particulars in connection with the charges that the administration affairs had been forgotten in the years of the Republican party has been in control of affairs.

Judge Parker said: "The expenditures of the government—these expenditures—have been managed in a spirit of economy as far as removed from waste as from niggardliness. That the expenditures of the government have been free from niggardliness cannot, I think, be successfully denied, hence it should be and is frankly admitted."

"With the claim that the expenditures have been managed with a spirit of economy we must take issue. The facts presented in support of the charge of extravagance has not been answered. We asserted that only seven years ago and under a Democratic President the total expenditures of this government were less than \$200,000,000, and we charge that in the last fiscal year the expenditures were over \$282,000,000. These figures have not been denied and they cannot be. Deducting from the latter amount the sum paid by this government for the Panama canal rights, we still have \$252,000,000. After making that reduction we find that it cost about \$110,000,000 more to run the government last year than it did seven years ago. That statement on its face raises the presumption of extravagance and waste, a presumption which it requires evidence to overcome."

"None was presented. By way of direct answer to the Democratic charge of extravagance the inquiry has been put by the administration whether we propose to cut off the pensions. We answer, certainly not. And we further assert that the inference suggested by the question is not ingenious. "The amount paid out in pensions has been decreasing every year since 1878. But the unwarranted order No. 78, which was fully considered in my letter of acceptance—The amount paid for pensions in the seventh preceding year would have exceeded the amount paid last year. As it was, the difference was only \$1,000,000. It is therefore necessary for the administration to look in other directions than the disbursement for pensions for the justification for the excess of expenditures of last year over that of seven years ago of over \$150,000,000."

"The inquiry is further made by the administration whether we would care to reduce the cost of the army. We answer that most assuredly we would, and we ask the people to decide between the administration and the Democratic contention on that point. In the year 1897 the war department cost less than \$60,000,000, which was about the average cost per year for the preceding 26 years. This last year, a year of peace, the cost of the army was \$115,000,000. One of the questions we now ask the people is, 'What use of expense more than double on the army now than we deemed wise to spend previous to the Spanish war?'"

Near the middle of the block she said, Jacoby approached her, "made eyes" and brushed against her. She moved away and said nothing, when the act was repeated, cut off the pensions. We answer, certainly not. And we further assert that the inference suggested by the question is not ingenious. "The amount paid out in pensions has been decreasing every year since 1878. But the unwarranted order No. 78, which was fully considered in my letter of acceptance—The amount paid for pensions in the seventh preceding year would have exceeded the amount paid last year. As it was, the difference was only \$1,000,000. It is therefore necessary for the administration to look in other directions than the disbursement for pensions for the justification for the excess of expenditures of last year over that of seven years ago of over \$150,000,000."

At first Jacoby walked fast. Mrs. Fatout says, then he ran, and at sixth street he boarded a northbound Lee avenue street car. Patrolman Moorman boarded the car and arrested the man, who gave him the name as John Jacoby.

With a crowd of 50 following, Patrolman Moorman took his prisoner to the Chestnut street station. Mrs. Fatout went along to lodge the complaint.

While on his way she says she was approached by a man who was apologetic for Jacoby's conduct, saying that he was a foreigner who merely wanted to make friends. He told her also that Jacoby was of noble birth.

## WOMAN KILLED AT RENDEZVOUS BY AN AVENGING SON

Mrs. Thomason Appointed a Meeting at a Railway Station With J. S. Higgins, Whose Son and Daughter Kept the Engagement and Beat Her.

## HER BODY A MASS OF BRUISES, SAYS PHYSICIAN

Young Man Under Arrest Denies That He Inflicted Serious Injuries But Says He Pushed Her When She Attacked Him With a Hatpin.

PEORIA, Ill., Oct. 21.—Mrs. Nellie Thomason, wife of a former prominent real estate dealer in this city, died at 12 o'clock at Lacon last night, as the result of injuries received last Saturday noon in a sensational encounter with Richard and Jennie Higgins, children of John G. Higgins, a prominent member of the board of supervisors of Peoria County, and prominent in Republican politics.

The Higgins children intercepted a letter written to Higgins senior by Mrs. Thomason, in which she asked him to meet her in the depot of the Rock Island in this city.

Higgins was at St. Louis and his son, Richard, opened the letter. The missive asked Higgins to be in the waiting room.

When Mrs. Thomason arrived there she was confronted by young Higgins and his sister. What took place is a mystery, as only the three and Douglas McDonald, of Moline, Ill., an uncle of Higgins were present.

Some time later, however, Mrs. Thomason asked E. A. Brant, the ticket agent, who found her alone in the waiting room, to assist her to a train. He did so, and when she was gone it was discovered that the floor of the waiting room was covered with blood. The woman lingered in great agony at her home in Lacon until last night, when she died.

Woman's Body Terribly Bruised. Mrs. Thomason had lain in a comatose condition since Wednesday night, rallying enough to speak a word or two at times. During her last hours she vomited blood excessively. Her body presented a horrible appearance. Her lip was severed, both eyes blackened, one shoulder displaced and her back was covered with bruises, as evidenced by the following statement:

"I had nothing to do with the affair, whatever, only as a witness. I saw Mrs. Thomason attack my brother with a hatpin, and then he struck her several times. I did not engage in the scuffle." Mrs. Thomason has not lived with her husband, J. W. Thomason, for three years, and at the time of her death did not know where he was located. They were not divorced.

## DIET OF DIAMONDS TOO RICH FOR HIM

Stove Mender Who Swallowed Jewels of Sheriff's Wife, Finds Transgressor's Way Hard.

It is entirely safe to predict that Jesse Nesel will never swallow any more diamonds. Not that swallowing diamonds is so very unpleasant. But unswallowing them!

Nesel, hypnotized by the glint of diamonds which did not belong to him, yielded to temptation and swallowed four. They were removed from his system Friday and he is heartily sick of the diamond business. Nesel was working at 1332 South Third street, is a stove mender. Sheriff Joseph Dickmann hired him to mend one of his stoves at his home, 1221 St. Ange avenue. Mrs. Dickmann had left her rings in a vase on the mantel in the room where Nesel was working. He broke up a diamond ring with his hammer and swallowed the four diamonds which constituted its setting, thereby increasing the value of his person something like \$250.

Mrs. Dickmann missed the ring and suspicion fell on the stove mender. Detectives Williams and McGrover went to his house. He denied taking the ring. They searched everywhere, that is, everywhere except where the diamonds were, and did not find them. They took him to the Four Courts and he confessed that he had the stones concealed in the interior of his person.

He was locked up while a prescription was secured at a drug store. Nesel was given some medicine which was guaranteed to cure diamonditis by bringing the diamonds to the surface.

Whereupon Nesel began to cough karma. After two had come up there was an intermission and it began to look like the other two had got lost somewhere in the interior. But the treatment was persisted in, and by and by the other two were forthcoming.

At that moment Nesel would have turned with a wry face from the most tempting dish of diamonds ever prepared. Nesel is not a diamond-swallower by profession. He only took it up as a side line to his stove mending. He is now sorry that he did not stick to his mending, and says he will do so henceforth.

He has no police record, and it appears that this is the first time that he has yielded to temptation. His wife and two children are said to be in reduced circumstances. Sheriff Dickmann has not decided whether he will apply for a warrant.

No Receiver Is Wanted. The officers of the Jacobs Hat and Glove Co. will not receive any more hats or gloves. The company is in circuit court to show cause why the receiver asked for in the suit of the company against the receiver of the company, should not be granted. The receiver of the company is claiming to be a stockholder of the company and alleging that the firm is insolvent. R. J. Jacobs, secretary of the company, was vice-president and succeeded Ruggles as secretary. The receiver of the company is claiming that the firm is in good condition and that its reputation has been damaged by Ruggles's suit.



## TWO INJURED IN COLLISION OF CARS

One Street Car Filled With Women But None of Them Is Injured in Crash.

George C. Wright of 3201 Magnolia avenue and Frank Holcomb of 2609 Gravois avenue were painfully injured in a head-on collision between street car No. 153 of the Clayton line and car No. 288 of the Kirkwood division of the Suburban line at Clayton at 12 o'clock Friday morning.

The accident happened at Central and St. Ferdinand avenues as the Kirkwood car was about to switch on a single track.

Motorman Johnson and Conductor Edwards were in charge of the Clayton car and Motorman Simpson and Conductor Bolt were in charge of the Kirkwood car.

The Kirkwood car was filled with women from Kirkwood and Webster who were on their way to the city. There only two persons on the Clayton car, the two men who were injured. No one in the Kirkwood car was injured, though the women were badly frightened.

Mr. Wright sustained injuries in the left shoulder and was internally hurt. He was unconscious for some time. Mr. Holcomb was injured in the left ankle and very badly bruised as he fell to the floor when the cars came together.

The cars were damaged and the head end of the Kirkwood car was completely smashed. That Motorman Simpson escaped uninjured is difficult of explanation.

**HEAVY OVERCAST WEATHER.** Is in sight. See the 115 overcasts for 29.40 at the Globe tomorrow.

**Guilmant Reception Postponed.** The reception arranged for Mr. Alexander Guilmant, the celebrated organist, at St. Peter's parish house Friday evening, has been postponed indefinitely on account of the sudden death of Mr. Charles R. Blake, chairman of the music committee of St. Peter's Church.

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## CHURCH TO OPPOSE FREE TEXTBOOKS

Head of St. Louis Archdiocese Protests Against Proposed Measure in Circular Letter.

Archbishop John J. Glennon has issued a circular letter to Catholic priests of St. Louis protesting against the passage of the amendment which will be voted on at the coming election providing for free textbooks for public school children. The letter will be read from all Catholic pulpits in St. Louis Sunday. It says:

There is to be submitted to the voters of this state at the November election an amendment to the constitution, empowering—in fact, compelling—the state to levy extra taxes for the purpose of supplying free textbooks to the pupils of the public schools. Such an act, if put into operation, is extravagant, because all unnecessary taxation is extravagant. Neither is it based on equity, because it will not apply to all the children that are being educated, but only to those who attend certain schools. It is dangerous because it is another step toward socialism, implying, as a logical consequence, the giving, here, of free clothes and free food.

Now, I submit that such an order of things might be proper for a penitentiary, but not for a free state, especially all of whose taxpayers have made for the building up of a healthy individualism, and so denied taxation without representation and without representation as unjustifiable and criminal. It will, furthermore, react on the very cause it is supposed to serve, for it is found that the thing which costs nothing is invariably regarded as worthless. And, as in the commercial, social and political life, emulation and ambition proper to a healthy individualism, it is the duty of education. I am of the opinion that for these and many other reasons this amendment ought to be rejected.

Speaking of his attitude on the proposed amendment, Archbishop Glennon said Thursday:

The sooner a consistent and determined stand is taken against measures whose cloak of patriotism covers their real oppressive character, the better it will be for the taxpayer. This is not a political issue, nor is it a religious question; it is simply one of justice.

**Turner to Meet Goodman.** BUTTE, Mont., Oct. 21.—John McFarlane of Seattle, acting for Clarence, manager of Rufe Turner, has opened negotiations to match the latter against Kid Goodman of St. Louis who was to have fought Aurelio Herrera in this city next Monday night. Clarence offers a side bet of \$100. Turner asks for 120 pounds next Monday or 125 a week later.

## RE-REGISTRATION SOUGHT TOO LATE

Forty-Three Men From Sixth Ward, Who Say Names Were Unjustly Scratched, Denied Petition.

Forty-three Republicans claiming residence in precinct 3 of the Sixth ward went to the office of the circuit clerk at the courthouse Friday morning to petition the circuit judges to restore their names to the registration list.

They asserted their names were stricken off despite their protests to the judges and clerks of election that they could present proof of their right to vote.

Chief Deputy Clerk John Fitzsimmons refused to receive the petition because he said it was filed too late.

He called attention to the fact that under the new election law appeals from the decisions of the election canvassers, whose work is approved by the judges and clerks of election, must be filed with the circuit clerk on the third Tuesday before election. The time limit for the petition which the Sixth Ward Republicans desired to file, therefore, was last Tuesday.

Sim Harris of the Twenty-first ward, who is chairman of the Republican city registration committee, says that hundreds of Republicans will be disfranchised if they are denied the right to appeal to the Supreme Court, in cases where it is shown their names have been scratched off of the registration lists.

The Republican judges and clerks, as well as the Democratic judges and clerks in precinct 2 of the Sixth ward, approved the revised registration list.

**BURBANK'S CASE DELAYED.** Continuance Asked to Take Depositions of Witnesses.

Special to the Post-Dispatch. LEAVENWORTH, Kan., Oct. 21.—In the district court this morning, when the hearing of the case of Sidney S. Burbank, lieutenant U. S. A., vs. Mrs. Concepcion Yanez, was resumed, the motion of attorneys for the woman for a continuance in order to take depositions in the Philippines was heard and the court took the matter under advisement until Monday morning.

It is thought the court will act upon the suggestion of the war department and appoint a special commissioner to take testimony in the Philippine Islands for both the plaintiff and defendant.

## WOMEN OF TEXAS PARTICIPATE IN BRILLIANT RECEPTION AND BALL



Mrs. W. F. ROBERTSON-AUSTIN, TEXAS

More Than Two Thousand Guests Present at Double Event Given in Texas and Missouri Buildings by Lady Commissioners, Railroad, and Express Officials.

A delightful reception was given Thursday evening at the Texas building, World's Fair.

The lady commissioners, railroad and express men of Texas were the guests of honor.

After the reception, from 8 to 10 o'clock, the guests went to the Missouri building for a ball, which included about 2000 invited guests.

Among the prominent Texans were Louis J. Worthon of Austin; Paul Waples of Fort Worth; Mrs. T. V. Sessions, who is hostess this week for the Texas building; Mrs. W. T. Robertson, member of the Board of Lady Managers for the Lone Star State, who is one of the noted women of the South; Miss C. L. Potter, Gainesville, Tex.; William Clifton, Houston; Beulah Kirby, Houston; W. C. Nixon, Galveston; B. F. Hammett, El Paso, Tex.

**GIRL IS LOYAL TO "FAKE MEDIUMS" CAUSE DISCUSSION**

**"He Was Good to Me," Says "Jimmie" Hardy of Benjamin H. Brumby.**

With all his faults, "Jimmie" Hardy loves Ben Brumby still. She says he was good to her, and she is not going to go back on him because he is charged with being a forger and other kinds of a bad man.

The 16-year-old girl who was enticed from her home at Birmingham, Ala., by Brumby, now charged with trying to pass a forged check at the National Bank of Commerce, is held in the detention room at the Four Courts until her relatives are heard from.

She was asked Friday if, now that she knew that the man with whom she had eloped, expecting to be married to him in St. Louis, was an ex-convict and all-around crook, she still cared for him.

"All that makes no difference to me," she said. "I still love him. He was good to me. He let me stop at \$5 a day hotels and took me into good society and always acted the part of a perfect gentleman."

She says she does not mind being held in the detention room, except that she is separated from Brumby. She is worrying more about her French poodle, which is at a rooming house on West Pine street, where she has been stopping, than she is about herself.

She is sorry that she admitted to the police, when she called at the Four Courts to inquire about Brumby, that she was only 15 years old. She wishes she had told them that she was 18, so that they could not have held her. She says she expected to marry Brumby.

"I would like to do something to get him out of his trouble," she said, "but they have put so many charges against him that I don't see what I can do."

She says she will go back home, if her relatives will accept her, provided they do not find out the circumstances under which she came under the notice of the police here. If they find that out, she says, she will not go back and face them.

Explaining her peculiar name, she says she gave herself up to the time that she was 7 years old, she says, her parents gave her no name, and she was only known by the nickname of "Jimmie."

She liked boys' names better than girls' and at that age she christened herself "Jimmie," and by refusing to answer to any other name, got everybody to calling her Jimmie.

There is no charge against the girl. She is simply held for her relatives because she is under age.

The case against Brumby has been taken daily before the grand jury. It is not probable that he may be charged with being an habitual criminal. If he were convicted on that charge he could be sent to the penitentiary for life.

**Ex-Mayor Ames Jury Disagrees.** MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Oct. 21.—After being out since Wednesday afternoon, the jury on the bribery charge against ex-Mayor Ames came into court today and announced that it could not agree. Judge Harrison thereupon discharged the jury. Dr. Ames was indicted for receiving money from

## NOTED DIVINES HERE FOR MEETING

The Convention of Congregationalists Opens With Exercises in Festival Hall.

**ATTEND RECEPTION TONIGHT**

**Congregational Club Will Entertain With Dinner and Program at Missouri Building.**

Leading Congregationalists of the United States are gathered at the World's Fair to celebrate Congregational Church Day, as Friday has been named by the Exposition management.

Dr. Washington Gladden, newly elected moderator of the Congregational Church, pastor of the First Congregational Church of Columbus, O., for 22 years; Dr. Lyman Abbott, editor of the Outlook; Rev. Dr. Nehemiah Boynton of Detroit, and Rev. Dr. Charles E. Jefferson, pastor of the historic Broadway tabernacle of New York, and other prominent Congregationalists are here to participate in the celebration.

A public meeting opened in Festival Hall at 2 o'clock this afternoon at which Dr. Washington Gladden presided. Secretary Stevens of the World's Fair, Dr. Lyman Abbott, Rev. Boynton and Rev. Johnson spoke. Charles Galloway played a large organ and Congregational hymns were sung.

Following this meeting the Congregational Club of St. Louis will entertain the visiting churches at a reception and dinner in the Missouri building.

Prof. F. A. Hall will preside at the dinner. Rev. Dr. Henry A. Stimson of New York City; Rev. Dr. William D. Mackenzie, president of the Hartford Theological Seminary; Rev. Dr. Henry Hopkins, president of William College; Rev. Dr. Albert H. Plumb of Boston; Prof. Charles B. Nash of San Francisco; Dr. Samuel B. Copen, president of the American board, and others will speak.

**To Make Park Sanitary.** Health Commissioner Simon has been empowered by the board of health to remedy unsanitary conditions now existing in Walnut park. These conditions are due to improper drainage.

## B. HUR RIDES IN SKIDOOLE CHARIOT

Autos Make Camels Step Lively in Parade Where Gen. Wallace Was Missed.

Snow-white horses, gaudily draped camels, chariots, galleys and men on foot, figured in the parade of the Order of Ben Hur at the World's Fair Friday afternoon.

Friday was Ben Hur Day at the Exposition. The parade, starting from the Parade entrance of the World's Fair and proceeding from there to the Temple of Fraternity, was the principal feature of the celebration.

A police escort and a band led the procession. Following them were five standard-bearers, "three wise men" on camels, 12 "chiefs" on white horses, 12 "captains" and 12 "guards" similarly mounted, a chariot drawn by four black horses, a galley drawn by two horses and six automobiles.

The parade disbanded at the Temple of Fraternity, where a program, including addresses, was scheduled for the afternoon. Among the speakers listed were President Francis D. W. Gerard, supreme chief of the order; F. F. Shuler, supreme scribe, and other supreme officers.

The presence of Gen. Lew Wallace of Crawfordsville, Ind., author of "Ben Hur," was expected, but the time of his arrival was not announced in advance for the officers of the order. He is expected to reach the city during the afternoon.

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At "Gately's" will be held tomorrow, Saturday, from 8 a. m. till 10:30 p. m. The store will be in gala attire. As usual, there will be a first-class string orchestra and flowers for all comers.

Already recognized as the greatest Credit Clothing Store of the West, we are ambitious to become the model store of the entire country. To this end we constantly strive. By selling nothing but good goods at moderate prices, on easy payments, we have grown by leaps and bounds. In order to better our Service, we invite candid and helpful criticism.

**Prize Criticism Contest.**

After visiting our opening tomorrow mail us a letter telling us not what is right but what is wrong about our store. Address it "Criticism Contest, Gately's, 812 N. Broadway." Criticise whatever you wish—our store—our help—our credit plan—our goods—our prices—our service—what you will; and make suggestions for their betterment. In our advertisement next Friday we will declare the winners.

**First Prize—Any Man or Ladies' Suit in stock, worth \$20.00**  
**Second Prize—Any Man or Ladies' Overcoat or Cloak, worth \$15.00**  
**Third Prize—Any Man or Ladies' Garment, worth \$10.00**

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## EARTHQUAKE SHOCK FELT IN ST. LOUIS

Slight Seismic Disturbance Rattles  
Dishes and Affects Instruments,  
But Causes No Damage.

A slight earthquake shock, traveling from northwest to southeast, was felt in St. Louis Friday morning.  
It was felt in various parts of the city

and was recorded on the seismograph in the weather bureau of the Philippine exhibit at the World's Fair. Observer Lacson, in charge of the bureau, says the disturbance was slight, but distinctly recorded on the instruments.  
Reports from citizens who called at the Post-Dispatch for information are that the disturbance caused a slight rattling of dishes, but nothing of greater consequence. Observer Lacson states that the shock was of less severity than a similar one recorded by the seismograph, Aug. 27. Reports place the time of Friday's disturbance at between 8 and 9 o'clock.

B. & O. S.-W. popular excursion, Vincennes and intermediate points, Sunday, Oct. 23.

### Atterbury System

## Gentlemen's Clothes

If you ask us why the great manufacturers of clothing have not produced hand-tailored clothing heretofore, and thus satisfied the popular demand, we will say to you:  
Because the cost of production by machinery is so much less, the output and profits so much greater, that these manufacturers could not resist them.  
Why do we make hand-tailored clothing, then? Because the reaction has set in. The trend of the times is back to the custom tailor.  
We realized that if we were to apply the merchant tailor's methods on an enlarged scale and keep the prices down to a point within the reach of the average man, we would reap the benefit of more patronage than has ever been vouchsafed one house in the history of this country.

Atterbury Clothes are the clothes of the Modern Gentleman. Their popularity will be measured by the rapidity with which the public becomes familiar with them.

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## HOPES ST. LOUISAN MAY BE PRESIDENT

Miss Helen Keller, Before Departure,  
Pays Delicate Compliment to  
President Francis.

### TREASURES MEMORY OF VISIT

Her Last Moments at World's Fair  
Spent in the Educational  
Building.

Miss Helen Adams Keller, the marvelous blind and deaf girl, ended her visit to St. Louis and the World's Fair Thursday night, and departed on a late train for her home at Wrentham, Mass.

As a farewell message to the people of St. Louis, she expressed her high appreciation of the beauties of the Exposition, the courtesy of her hostesses and the Exposition officials, and expressed the hope that "at no distant day St. Louis will have the honor of giving us a President."

This wish of Miss Keller was expressed without mentioning names, but those who were most intimately associated with her while here interpret her remark as a hope that President Francis of the World's Fair may become President Francis of the United States. Her remark is accepted as a pretty compliment, and is immensely gratifying to President Francis' friends.

Miss Keller's visit was a busy one, and one of the well-phrased sentences for which she is famous she practically told the story of her reception and visit here: "When my hands were not busy discovering new wonders, they were in the grasp of kind friends in St. Louis, and I carry away with me a heart full of precious memories."

Miss Keller spent her last moments at the Fair in the Educational building, where she gave special attention to the exhibits made by schools for the deaf and blind. Afterward she went to the home of Miss Perry at 12 Vandeventer place and spent several hours in rest preparatory to the long journey East. Miss Perry had invited a few intimate friends to dinner, and at 10 o'clock Miss Keller was escorted to Union Station. She is accompanied on her return by Miss Anne Sullivan, her teacher, and by J. A. Macy, who came with her to St. Louis.

**GEISHA GIRLS TO REMAIN.**  
They notice the great suit and overcoat sale at the Globe tomorrow.

### CLEAR FEDERAL DEBT NOW. 1

Receipts at the World's Fair for First Half of October Were \$912,692.81.

Gate and other receipts at the World's Fair for the first half of October amounted to \$912,692.81, according to figures compiled by Exposition officials when the last \$500,000 was paid to the Government. Of this amount \$406,042.80 was in gate receipts, while the remaining \$506,650.01 was received from concessions.

A remainder of \$306,650 now is due the government on the loan of \$4,500,000, and is the opinion among officials that the entire amount will be paid Nov. 1, thus clearing the Exposition of all debt to the Government before the gates close.

Some revenue is expected after the Exposition closes, as Secretary Stevens stated Thursday, when a half-rate admission to the grounds will be charged.

**Port Arthur Vanishes Before Your Eyes.**

The bombardment of Port Arthur reproduced tonight in the Stadium, World's Fair grounds, at 7:45. Admission, with seat, 25c.

### JUSTICE GOT BOTTLES MIXED

Judge Harlan of Supreme Court Tells Law School Class He Drank Ammonia.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.  
WASHINGTON, Oct. 21.—Justice Harlan of the United States Supreme Court did not appear for his regular lecture to the freshmen class of the law department of the George Washington University last Friday. One of the faculty members explained that he was ill. He was on hand at the lecture today, however, and remarked to the students:

"I was sorry not to be here at the last lecture, but I drank something out of a bottle. I quickly found it was household ammonia. I will not say what it was I intended to take, but some surprise was manifested that I, being a Kentuckian, should have mistaken the bottle, or that anything should have hurt me." Justice Harlan was unable to talk for a few days after taking the ammonia.

**Port Arthur Bombarded.**  
The expected bombardment of Port Arthur will happen tonight in the Stadium, on the World's Fair grounds, at 7:45. Admission, with seat, 25c.

### CARDS GREET BRIDAL COUPLE

Southern Hotel Room Decorated in Honor of Their Arrival.

An assortment of placards, bearing such inscriptions as "Ours was a case of true love," and "We are happy though married," adorned the outer door of room 154 at the Southern Hotel Friday morning.

Guests passing by the room stopped to "have a laugh." Then they went downstairs to inquire the identity of "154."

Chief Clerk Ryan, looking up his register, found that the room had been reserved for W. C. Binnie and wife of Carleton, Pa. Before he could rectify matters Mr. and Mrs. Binnie arrived. They proceeded to "154."

"Goodness gracious!" exclaimed the bride as she beheld the network of signs, and then her husband remarked: "Some merry jester from home is here."

**Intelligent Servants.**  
The poor servants are usually the ignorant ones. The intelligent kind, who read and answer want ads, are always preferable. All druggists receive want ads for the Post-Dispatch.

**Testimonial to Titled Singer.**  
A testimonial concert will be given Friday evening at Central Y. M. C. A. Hall, Grand and Franklin avenues, to Marquis de Souza Coutinho, Portuguese baritone, who has been heard at World's Fair functions frequently during the summer. Marquis de Souza will render seven numbers, assisted in some of them by the St. Francis Xavier Church choir under the leadership of D. S. DeLisle. Other soloists will be Edward Rechlin, Miss Eugenia Getner, Signorina d'Alma, Miss Coralle J. DeLisle, Mrs. Charles T. Clark and Joseph Kern.

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Cancer, tumor, sores, gottre, rectal diseases, hydrocele and varicocele. Dr. B. P. Tinslin, 1106 Mississippi avenue.

## WEBSTER TO VOTE ON SCHOOL

Question of New Building Will Be  
Passed on by Voters Next  
Tuesday.

A mass meeting of the voters of Webster Groves school district will be held Saturday night in Arcanum hall, Old Orchard, to discuss the proposition for a bond issue of \$50,000, for the erection of a new school building, which is to be voted on at an election to be held Tuesday.

The election is called in compliance with

resolutions adopted by voters of the district in mass meeting. The proposition includes the expenditure of \$50 per annum, or so much thereof as may be necessary, for renting additional rooms to accommodate the pupils until the proposed new building is ready for occupancy.

It is proposed to erect the new building on the east side of Selma avenue, one block south of Lockwood.

### BUSINESS NOTICE.

Eruptions, tan-freckles, skin afflictions yield a satin skin to Satin Skin Cream and Satin Skin Face Powder.

## INSURANCE MEN END SESSIONS

President Francis Tells Delegates It Is  
Pride of Firemen That Prevents  
World's Fair Fires.

The program for the closing session tonight of the National Association of Local Fire Insurance Agents includes the election of officers, the reports of various committees and the selection of a meeting place for the next convention.

At Thursday's session President Francis delivered the address of welcome, in which he said that the principal reason there had

been no disastrous fire at the World's Fair was on account of the personal pride each fireman took in his work and of the excellent arrangements that had been made for fighting fire.

Responses to the address of welcome were made by several members of the convention.

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### \$20.00 Suits at \$14.75

THIS special lot comprises a splendid assortment of newest double or single breasted styles in Silk Mixed Worsteds, Nobby Brown and Grey Scotch Weaves in Plaids or Mixtures. Garments designed by artists, and made by expert tailors. There's not one suit in the entire lot which the average man would not be proud to wear, and there's no reason why you shouldn't have one of these \$20 suits at \$14.75

### \$6.00 Trousers at \$3.85

THE best opportunity of the season for men with a trousers want. These garments are the smartest styles from the best makers, and are so properly cut that every pair will fit perfectly. Finest Worsteds and Cheviots in the richest patterns are used in their construction, and every garment is fresh from the hands of the makers. Be prompt tomorrow for \$6.00 Trousers at \$3.85

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Just the shoe for young men who want advance style. Careful design has removed any tendency to cramp the foot, and yet has accomplished that narrow toe with "slaps" effect which, with the better style, makes a model approved by the most discriminating dressers. Like all the other 75 Regal styles, made in quarter sizes, insuring perfect fit.

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### \$15

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Butter not  
Brown, Black  
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Shoes, Hats,  
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The spasms of coughing in whooping-cough may cause a rupture or bursting of a blood vessel, and before medical aid can be gotten it will be too late to save the child's life. Mothers, provide your home with a bottle of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup for this emergency. It cures whooping-cough, and cures before they develop whooping-cough, and can be given the baby just as easily as the older child, because it tastes good. Thousands of mothers use it for whooping-cough, croup, colds, measles, etc.

### DR. BULL'S COUGH SYRUP

is such a wonderful cure I had to tell you about it. I will in the future recommend it to all whom I know suffering with a cough or any lung or bronchial trouble. No home should be without it.

**Be warned of the Substitute.**

Do not let the druggist sell you a substitute, for or white pine mixture, which he says is "just as good" as Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup. He is calculating upon larger profit, and not considering the health of your baby. Buy Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup and you will not be disappointed in a cure. Price, 25c, 50c, and \$1.00, at all druggists.



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**MEN'S GLOVES**—In Mocha and dogskin—pique sewn—tan, brown and red—usual \$1.25 sorts—tomorrow at..... **95c**

**LATE NECKWEAR**—In silk and satins—English squares and wide four-in-hands—an immense variety—..... **50c**

**MANHATTAN SHIRTS**—In fancy colorings and neat effects—new arrivals—at \$2.25 down to..... **\$1.50**

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**HALF HOSE**—In merino, in brown mixtures—25c quality—..... **19c**

**HEAVY RIBBED SHIRTS and Drawers**, in fleeced cotton—50c sorts—Saturday we will offer these dependable garments at..... **33c**

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**THE "LENOX"** comes in the new gun metal calf, calf calf, patent calf, patent kid and finest enamel calf—on the new Potay, Freak and Harvard lasts—in Blucher cut and button with single, double and triple soles—sizes 6 to 12, on width AA to E—all styles—..... **\$3.50**

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300 Imitation Cut Glass Condiment Sets at..... **19c**  
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## ROOSEVELT HAD TWO PANAMA POLICIES

Senator Culberson Compares Letters Not Heretofore Given the Public With President's Message.

READ AT NEW YORK RALLY

President's Confidential Message to Friend Is Evidence That He Knew Contemplated Secession.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Oct. 21.—Senator Charles A. Culberson's disclosure of letters written by Secretary of State John Hay and President Roosevelt and a comparison of these letters with extracts from the President's Panama message of Jan. 4 has proved the surprise of the campaign.

Senator Culberson spoke in Carnegie Hall under the auspices of the Reform Club. He devoted almost his full time to the Panama question. After reviewing the legislation Senator Culberson took up the legislation authorizing the canal.

He claimed that the Hay-Herrin treaty if not nullified by the unanimous vote of the Colombian Senate, it expressed the intention of the United States to approve it within the time fixed for its ratification. He said that with detail into the legal aspect of the matter, and, concluding said:

"It is astounding, in view of the indisputable facts, that the defense of the President with reference to this statute should be made by himself and his party upon the ground that when he entered into the Hay-Herrin treaty, the time within which he could lawfully deal with that route had not expired."

He then called attention to the following letter by Secretary of State Hay, which he said was never made public, as compared with an extract from President Roosevelt's message:

Department of State, Washington, Jan. 21, 1904.

Dear Dr. Herran: THE QUESTION OF THE CANAL IN THE MIND OF THE PRESIDENT TO SAY TO YOU THE MATTER AT THAT IN HIS OPINION THE ALIEN AND YET THERE "REASONABLE TIME" HAD NOT BEEN A LAPSE OF TIME BY THE STATUTE OF THE UNITED STATES GOING TO CONSTRUCTION OF AN Isthmian Canal. The President's message of Jan. 4, 1904.

As events turned out, the President's message of Jan. 4, 1904, was a direct blow to the Hay-Herrin treaty. The President's message of Jan. 4, 1904, was a direct blow to the Hay-Herrin treaty. The President's message of Jan. 4, 1904, was a direct blow to the Hay-Herrin treaty.

Concerning the public and private policies of the administration on the Panama question, the canal situation, Senator Culberson read the following personal letter from President Roosevelt and the extract from his message to the public.

Personal, White House, Washington, Oct. 10, 1903.

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Miss Rose Hennessy, well known as a poetess and elocutionist, of Lexington, Ky., tells how she was cured of uterine inflammation and ovaritis by the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

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"I have advised a number of my lady friends to use it, and all express themselves as well satisfied with the results as I was."—Miss Rose Hennessy, 410 S. Broadway, Lexington, Ky.

The experience and testimony of some of the most noted women of America go to prove beyond a question that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound will correct all such trouble and at once, by removing the cause, and restoring the organs to a normal and healthy condition.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—About two years ago I consulted a physician about my health which had become so wretched that I was no longer able to be about. I had severe backache, bearing-down pains, pains across the abdomen, was very nervous and irritable, and this trouble grew worse each month. The physician prescribed for me, but I soon discovered that he was unable to help me, and I then decided to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and soon found that it was doing me good. My appetite was returning, the pains disappearing, and the general benefits were well marked."

"You cannot realize how pleased I was, and after taking the medicine for only three months, I found that I was completely cured of my trouble, and have been well and hearty ever since, and no more fear the monthly period, as it now passes without pain to me. Yours very truly, Miss Pearl Ackers, 327 North Summer St., Nashville, Tenn."

When a medicine has been successful in restoring to health more than a million women, you cannot well say without trying it "I do not believe it will help me." If you are ill, do not hesitate to get a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and write Mrs. Pinkham at Lynn, Mass., for special advice. Her advice is free and helpful. Write to-day. Delay may be fatal.

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## GEORGE J. GOULD PAYS FOR FUNERAL

He Wired Not to Spare Expense in Burying Negro Who Had Long Served Family.

### SERVICE OF 20 YEARS ENDED

Harry Armstead Was Faithful Employee as Porter and Messenger for Gould Family.

Harry Armstead, for more than twenty years in the employ of the Gould family in the capacity of porter and confidential messenger, will be buried in St. Louis Sunday afternoon, Armstead's family having been instructed by George J. Gould to make whatever arrangements desired and he would attend to the expenses.

Armstead is well known to railroad men who have had dealings with George J. Gould or with Jay Gould, as the negro has been employed on the railroad president's private car for many years.

Armstead served as a steward in the navy during the civil war. At the close of the war he began railroad work, and over 20 years ago entered the employ of Jay Gould on his private car. After a few years as porter, he was made confidential messenger and well did he perform his duties that he was retained in the same capacity by George J. Gould after the death of his father.

He accompanied George Gould on all his trips and when Mr. Gould was in New York the negro was in the Gould office.

Armstead has not been well for several weeks. He was confined to his bed only four days, but never, before his death of pneumonia last Saturday.

Mr. Gould was out of the city at the time, but was notified of the death. He promptly wired his New York office to notify Mrs. Armstead to carry out all her wishes, not minding expense.

Mrs. Armstead accompanied the body of her husband to St. Louis, where he desired to be buried. He formerly lived in this city.

The funeral will be held from the Union Memorial church, Beaumont and Wash streets, Sunday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock.

### Fireworks Tonight.

Pain's great melodramatic sensation, Port Arthur in flames, produced tonight at 7:45 p. m. in the Stadium, World's Fair grounds. Admission, with seat, 50c.

### PLANS FOR FAIR'S AFTERMATH

Committee to Hear of Plans for Restoring Forest Park After Exposition's Close.

A detailed plan for restoration of the World's Fair portion of Forest Park will be made to the restoration committee Tuesday by Director of Works Taylor and Landscape Architect Kessler of the World's Fair. It is thought at this meeting that definite action will be decided. The committee, however, is proceeding. Mr. Taylor is inquiring into the cost of reproducing in bronze some of the finer pieces of statuary at the Exposition, with a view of enhancing the beauty of the restored site.

Mr. Taylor's present restoration plans contemplate retaining Art Hill, with the enlargement of the grand basin, doing away with the encircling arms of the lagoons.

### Port Arthur a Mass of Flames Tonight

Pain, the pyrotechnical king, will reproduce his most wonderful success and largest World's Fair drawing card, the bombardment of Port Arthur, in the Stadium, tonight, World's Fair grounds, 7:45 o'clock. Admission, with seat, 50 cents.

### CHRISTIAN CONVENTION ENDS

Gathering Was Largest of People of One Denomination Since Opening of World's Fair.

A majority of delegates to the International Christian Missionary convention returned to their homes Friday, after the close of the convention which witnessed the greatest gathering of religious followers of one denomination since the opening of the World's Fair.

Christian Church day at the World's Fair, Thursday, was celebrated by a reception at the Disciples of Christ Building, and nine o'clock recitations in about forty state buildings and the closing exercises in Forest Hill at 2 o'clock which were attended by 2,000 Christians.

Dr. J. H. Garrison presided at Festival Hall. Mrs. J. H. Phillips sang and Dr. T. P. Healey of Kansas City, offered prayer. President Francis and Rev. D. D. Foxworth of Washington, D. C., made short addresses.

### WONDERFUL AUTOMOBILE—"Premier"

4-cylinder, air cooled, 16 H. P., no water used. Demonstrations free. A. L. Dyke, 311 Pine. Phone Main 2393.

### WANT SOLDIERS AFTER FAIR

If efforts of the Exposition management are successful, the regular troops now at the World's Fair will remain for some time after the close of the Fair to guard exhibits and property of the Exposition.

A strong guard will be needed for this purpose to prevent looting and vandalism. The coast artillery, one hundred and Nineteenth Company, will be asked to remain for three months; the Philippine Scouts will remain until January; the Eleventh Infantry will guard the government exhibits until they are shipped, and it is expected the Jefferson Guard will not be greatly reduced for several months.

### New Belcher Bath and Hotel.

Will be open for public inspection after 9 a. m., Saturday and Sunday, Oct. 22 and 23. Gentlemen and ladies are cordially invited to call and view the finest bathing establishment in the country. (7)

### TROOPS HAVE ONE COMMANDER

Maj. Cecil Placed in Charge at the World's Fair.

Maj. George R. Cecil of the Thirtieth United States Infantry is now in command of all the regular troops at the World's Fair, by order of Major-General John C. Bates. By the assignment, the four commanders of each organization at the Exposition, the Philippine Scouts, Company I Sixth Infantry, One Hundred and Nineteenth coast artillery, and the regimental band, will be under Maj. Cecil.

### No Chance to Post Odds.

CHICAGO, Ill., Oct. 21.—Mont Tenna, a well known turfman and bookmaker of this city, was robbed at the intersection of Belmont and Lincoln avenues while on his way to work with a passerby of \$100 in money and diamonds valued at \$200.

Don't neglect diarrhea. Wakenfeld's Blackberry Balsam is a sure cure. All druggists.



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**T**O ARTISTICALLY and fashionably clothe men today does not require the highly expensive services of an exclusive sartorial genius as in "ye olden time." The marvelous accomplishments of modern tailoring craftsmanship have revolutionized the clothing question. The smart clothes that now adorn our counters—clothes for business, street and semi-dress wear—are the proudest products of the foremost clothes makers in America, tailors of ingenious ability. Every expert feature, every artistic touch, every new weave, pattern and style effect, every point of excellence that the most skillful custom tailor can put into clothes—is possessed by the handsome new fall and winter Suits, Top Coats and Overcoats that now await your choosing at Famous. Besides showing by far the largest and best assortment in the West—quality for quality—you'll find our values absolutely unapproachable in St. Louis.

### Our Men's Suits at \$25.00

Are especially recommended to men who are custom-tailor enthusiasts. Clothes no better tailored and no more distinctive or fashionable would cost you \$45.00 if made to order. America's cleverest tailoring talent built them—ROGERS, PEEB & CO.'S (N. Y.) richest productions are included. May we not ask you to at least call and inspect these elegant garments? All the new and correct Fall weaves and patterns are here.

**25.00**

OTHERS TO \$35.00.

### Our Men's Suits at \$15.00

Reflect the latest decrees of Fashion. The rich "Havana Browns," the fad of the hour, are most desired—made of unfinished Worsted. Also much in demand are the rough-finished Scotch Cheviot Cloths in brown mixtures. Included are also fabrics and color combinations to satisfy every taste—both the new single and double breasted styles. \$20 is what they'd cost elsewhere—Saturday at Famous.

**15.00**

### Our Men's Suits at \$10.00

Are splendid Business Suits—made of slightly and serviceable Scotch Mixtures, Fancy Cassimeres in the newest Fall patterns and plain black thibets. These suits are well tailored, excellently trimmed, fit correctly and are splendidly suitable for general wear. If you search in every store in the city you'll not find suits to equal these under \$12.50—Famous price.

**10.00**

### Young Men's 12.50 Suits

We have fully mastered the art of dressing young men 14 to 20 years of age and can supposedly satisfy their most exacting desires—Every new and correct weave, pattern and style introduced this season is here in assortments varied enough to suit every one. Ask to see these new-shaped single and double breasted coats with wide lapels and broad shoulders. The \$15 and \$16.50 kind elsewhere—Famous price.

**12.50**

OTHERS UP TO \$30.00.

### Men's Raincoats at 15.00

They serve a two-fold purpose—can be worn as a Fall Overcoat or as a rain-repelling garment—built of Cravenetted cloths in fancy Scotch weaves and plain Oxford grays, in the stylish long effects—yoke lined with guaranteed satin—coats that are excellently tailored and thoroughly stylish and practical—splendid \$20.00 values—Famous price.

**15.00**

### \$20 to \$25 Top Coats, \$14.50

The very latest novelties in fancy imported wools, in brown, gray and tan color effects—also the finest Covert Cloths in the newest tan and olive shades—some are silk-lined throughout, others have the very best worsted serge linings. These garments are strictly hand-tailored—possess those swaggy broad shoulders and collars fit close to the neck. They come in those short boxy styles and the more conservative lengths. Positive \$20.00, \$22.50 and \$25.00 values. All sizes for men and young men. Saturday—very special—choice for.

**14.50**

### Men's \$18 Winter Overcoats

The near approach of the cold days makes this an appropriate time to supply your overcoat wants. All the correct new creations are here—the long English Tourist Coats with belted backs, in fancy weaves—the conservative Chesterfields and single-breasted Dress Overcoats, in various lengths—made from Oxford gray and plain black Vicunas, Kerseys, Meltons and Friezes—built by America's foremost overcoat makers—garments that cannot be duplicated for less than \$25.00—Famous price.

**18.00**

OTHERS TO \$50.00.

### Men's \$12.50 Winter Overcoats

Strictly all-wool, extra heavy frieze Overcoats in Oxford grays or black, in any length desired—particularly well tailored—lined with finest quality Venetian cloth—built to give satisfaction—costs that are stylish and serviceable—garments of equal merit have never been shown under \$15.00 to \$18.00—Saturday at Famous, special for.

**12.50**

### Men's \$5 Fancy Vests, 3.75

A special for Saturday in our new Vest department—Men's and young men's new Fall Waistcoats—made of beautifully patterned silk vestings, nobby flannels and imported washable materials—the latest brown shades, rich mixture effects and plain colors—vests that retail in exclusive togery shops at \$5.00 to \$6.00—Saturday at Famous, choice for.

**3.75**

## Our Men's \$4 Shoes

Are the very essence of dressiness and comfort—their wearing qualities are unsurpassed.

BAKER'S CORONA COLT and Cadet kid leathers, button style, dull mat kid tops, new tramp last, single sole—  
BAKER'S CORONA COLT, Velour or Box Calf leathers, Blucher cut, New Asot, Rounder or Potay lasts, single or double sole—  
BAKER'S COLT, VELOUR or Box Calf, Vici Kid and Shell Cordovan leathers, straight lace style, New London, Potay, Victor or Turk lasts, single or double soles, sizes 5 to 13, AA to E widths—  
Treat your feet to a pair—they'll reciprocate by feeling good.

**\$4**

## Men's Fashionable Fall Hats

A large representation of all the correct soft and stiff fall blocks, including the low crown, wide brim soft hats, the dressy Alpines, the medium shaped and the extreme high crown derbies—in black, golden brown, russet, fawn and pearl—made of the highest quality felt, and superior trimmings—Hats that will permanently retain their shapeliness and give an abundance of satisfactory wear—exclusive hatter \$4 and \$5 grades—Famous price.

**3.00**

## MEN'S NEW FALL Manhattan Shirts

In the stiff bosoms and semi-negligee with plain and plaited bosoms—made of imported white piques or novelty cloths with small neat figured effects, in the latest brown, gray and fawn shades—with attached or detached collars—it's a wise idea to make your selections now while picking is richest—prices are \$2.50, \$3.00 and—

**1.50**

## Men's Underwear

The celebrated Tivoli brand—natural wool and camel's hair—these goods are excellently made—have plush back and are of very high quality—they're comfortable and will give you lasting service—Famous Price, per garment—

**2.50**

## Boys' Clothes of Superlative Excellence.

### Boys' 12.00 Suits, 8.00

The double-breasted two or the single-breasted three piece vest style—made from the highest quality Scotch chevrons and silk-mixed worsteds—very elegant dress-up Suits for boys 8 to 16 years—old—well worth \$12.00—Saturday at Famous, choice for.

**8.00**

### Boys' 10.00 Suits, 7.00

Handsome novelties for the little chaps 2 1/2 to 8 years old—Eton, Russian and Sailor Suits with Buster Brown collars and ties—also the latest Dickey Norfolk Suits—made of velvets, fancy colored serges and the newest foreign fabrics—appropriately trimmed—the sorts shown elsewhere for \$10.00—Saturday at Famous, choice for.

**7.00**

### Boys' 2.50 Sweaters, 1.50

Made from pure worsted lamb's wool—extra heavy weight—soft and comfortable—all the popular plain colors and beautiful combinations in honey-comb patterns—size 24 to 36—regular \$2.50—Saturday at Famous.

**1.50**

### Boys' Overcoats at 6.00

Twelve distinct styles in Boys' Long Overcoats—made from plain black and Oxford gray friezes and fancy Scotch patterns—single and double breasted, with detachable belts—excellently made and lined with best Italian cloth—sizes from 6 to 16 years—Coats that you cannot buy elsewhere under \$8—Saturday at Famous.

**6.00**

### Novelty Overcoats at 3.50

Warm little garments for the youngsters 3 to 8 years of age—made from strictly all-wool friezes and fancy chevrons—neatly trimmed with buttons and silk embroidered designs—garments that are fully worth \$5.00—Saturday at Famous, choice for.

**3.50**

### Training Outfits Free!!

Boys, make yourselves muscular. With all Boys' Suit or Overcoat purchases of \$2.50 and over, Saturday, we will give a Training Outfit absolutely free. Come and get yours—they're certainly great.

### Boys' 7.00 Suits, 4.95

Practical clothes, dressy and satisfying—for boys 8 to 16 years of age—Two-Piece Double-Breasted, Norfolk, Russian Blouse, Eton Sailor and Military Norfolk Suits—made of strictly all-wool fabrics in this Autumn's catchiest color effects—Suits that you'll find priced \$7.00 and \$8.00 elsewhere—Saturday at Famous, choice for.

**4.95**

### Boys' 4.00 Suits, 2.50

Made of sinewy all-wool chevrons in nobby gray and brown mixtures, plaids and checks—double-breasted and Norfolk styles—sizes 6 to 16 years—they're built specially for the boys who are hard on their clothes—regular \$4.00 values elsewhere—Saturday at Famous, choice for.

**2.50**

### Boys' 63c Underwear, 39c

Wright's genuine health undergarments—Fall weight—wool lined—silk bound and finished—size 24 to 34—regular 63c values—Saturday, per garment—

**39c**



## STOGIES, 25 A DAY, CAUSED HIS DEATH

Patient Dies at City Hospital by Reason of Excessive Use of Tobacco.

Alonso Dittmer is dead at the City Hospital. The cause of his death according to official records and in medical terms, is arterio sclerosis.

In plain terms, death was due to smoking too many stogies.

The mean g of "arterio sclerosis" is a hardening of the arteries, due to an excess of nicotine.

Dittmer went to the City Hospital eight days ago. His condition was serious and physicians at once asked him if he had not smoked excessively.

"I don't know that you'd call it excessive," replied Dittmer. "I smoked about

## ESTIMATED CONSUMPTION OF STOGIES BY ONE MAN.

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|---------------------|--------|
| In one day.....     | 25     |
| In one week.....    | 175    |
| In one month.....   | 750    |
| In one year.....    | 9,125  |
| In three years..... | 27,375 |

25 stogies a day." Dittmer said he had kept this up for three years.

He was formerly a cigar manufacturer in Memphis, Tenn. There he made his own stogies of Havana tobacco and said they never seemed to hurt him.

Three months ago he came to St. Louis. He visited the World's Fair, meanwhile smoking a supply of stogies he brought along. When these gave out he smoked the "common" stogie.

Dittmer was denied stogies at the City Hospital, though he begged for them. When the effect of the stimulant began to die out, he lost strength rapidly. He was 41 years old.

Relatives in Memphis have been notified of his death.

## GIRL CAPTURES ST. LOUIS GAS MAN

Emerson McMillan of the Laclede Company Will Educate Pretty Gladys Tremaine.

## SHE DESERTED HER MOTHER

Nomadic Life in New York Hotels Did Not Suit the Wise Little Body.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Oct. 21.—Emerson McMillan, president of the Laclede Gas company of St. Louis, is shining in the limelight of publicity today in a manner most unpleasant to him, for on every hand are coming congratulations because of his generous pledges in behalf of a homeless little girl named Gladys Tremaine. This little girl is said to be a real southern beauty. She and her mother came here from North Carolina possessed of excellent education and refinement but very little money. For a time the child was kept in a Catholic convent and the mother led a more or less nomadic life in the hotels of the city.

A few days ago Gladys broke away from her mother to whom she was very devoted, but said she was tired of moving from pillar to post and wanted an education. Her story got into the papers and she landed in the courts where a compromise was effected, and her guardianship placed in the hands of two lawyers, one a man the other a woman.

The lawyers were getting up pledges from their friends to contribute \$50 a year to the support of the child when one of them called upon Mr. McMillan. He became greatly interested and asked that the child be brought to him. The younger, who is only 12, possesses a wise little head and made short work of Mr. McMillan. She had him down and out within half an hour, notwithstanding it is well known in Wall street and St. Louis that Mr. McMillan is a mighty hard man to convince at times.

The result was that Mr. McMillan had the lawyers cancel the pledges they had received and he agreed to assume all the expenses of the child's education and when she has completed school to take her into his home on the equality of a child, though he does not bind himself to legally adopt her.

Mr. McMillan was much congratulated when news of his timely charity became public, but the lawyers were so elated that they published it from the housework, though Mr. McMillan seldom appears prominent in any charity work, is so that he and his wife are enormous contributors to all kinds of charity in New York and other cities.

## COURT CONDEMNS BARBER'S AVARICE

"Meanest Kind of Thieves," Says Judge Tracy of Those Who Practice Extortion.

After referring to barbers who overcharge visitors as "the meanest kind of thieves ever saw," Judge Tracy, in the City Hall Police Court, Friday fined Edward Keller who has a barber shop at 189 1/2 Market street, opposite Union Station, \$50 and costs. The case was appealed.

Keller was accused by R. W. Chittenden of Gurnee, Ill., of giving him a neck shave

and a hair cut in addition to the "plain shave" he had ordered on the evening of Oct. 15, presenting a bill for 70 cents. Chittenden refused to pay more than 10 cents for the shave, and charged that Keller thereupon "batted him around the shop" until he could break away and find a policeman.

The case was first called Oct. 16 and asked for a continuance that he might produce witnesses. He had three of them in court Friday morning. They declared that Keller never touched Chittenden, and stood meekly by while the visitor called him "all sorts of names."

Judge Tracy listened to the testimony for a few minutes, and then interrupted to declare:

"That is enough. I don't believe a word of it. I heard the testimony of the complaining witness, and I believe he was telling the truth."

Then he began to address the barber and his witnesses personally:

"I think you are the meanest 'kind of' thieves I ever saw," he said. "This court will not stand for any of that kind of business so long as I am sitting on this bench."

"I'll do everything in my power to see that visitors to this city are not robbed," Chittenden, when making complaint to the police, declared that he was more offended by the insult of being "put up against a cheap bunce game" than he was at being beaten by the barber.

"I live too close to Chicago to have to come all the way to St. Louis to buy a gold brick," he said. "The con man is a man of sense to have them try their bungling imitations of 'bunco' on him."

## Says He Pawned Child's Jewels.

In her divorce petition filed in Circuit Court, Mrs. Julia Clark Wood charges that her husband, William H. Wood, Jr., pawned a necklace belonging to their child, and that he drank to excess and abused her. They were married in Buffalo, N. Y., Sept. 12, 1894, and separated in September, 1900. She asks the custody of their two children.

## RUSSIAN GOVERNMENT YIELDS

Students at Dorpat May Wear Colors Which Have Been Forbidden Them for Years.

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 21.—3:23 p. m.—Permission has been accorded to the students of Dorpat (Livonia) University to resume wearing caps of the colors which were forbidden in such corporations under Alexander III in pursuance of the policy of the russification of the Baltic provinces.

This step is considered to constitute another evidence of the conciliatory policy of the whole government which has marked the inauguration of the regime of Prince Mirsky, minister of the interior. Dispatches from Dorpat say the announcement was greeted with the greatest rejoicing among the students.



MISS LYDIA J. FARRELL.

## A Case of Dyspepsia.

Dyspepsia is caused by acute inflammation of the nerves of the stomach.

It is by nervous energy that the muscles of the stomach contract and expand, and the digestive fluids are secreted. The muscular walls of the stomach must be kept in vigorous action until the process of digestion is made complete.

The nerve fibres, like other tissues of the body, may become inflamed and diseased by neglect or other causes; then they must be nourished and their strength restored. It is when the nerve fibres are overstrained by worry of mind, overtaxing or neglect that they become exhausted and weak.

Dyspepsia is but one instance where the vital nerve force is necessary.

Discontent, ill-temper, low spirits, despondency, dizziness, sick headache, heartburn, palpitation of the heart, distension of the stomach, are some of the many forms that dyspepsia takes.

The true cure must be the restoration to strength of the nerves which govern the digestive organs.

## MISS FARRELL'S CASE AN EXAMPLE OF THOUSANDS.

"I have been greatly benefited by the use of Paine's Celery Compound. Until I tried it I was a great sufferer from dyspepsia and constipation. I spent considerable money trying various preparations without success, until I tried the Compound. Before I completed the first bottle I noticed a change for the better, but I continued until I had taken six bottles in all, which effected an entire cure. I feel better to-day than I have at any period of my life. It affords me great pleasure to endorse Paine's Celery Compound." Lydia J. Farrell, 129 DeKalb Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y., August 12, 1904.

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## The Funny Mr. Dooley

In the next Sunday Post-Dispatch discusses the war with his friend, Mr. Hennessey.

The Archey Road philosopher thinks it is a glorious struggle, but suggests some innovations that would make it even more exciting. For instance, he says:

"Supposin' Gin'ral Kurypatkin had to do all the fythin' fr' himself. It wud be better fr' him, because this he cud order an advance without bein' so crowded comin' back. \* \* \* An' suppose Gin'ral Oyama had to foot it across Manchuria and subelst fr' four months be whettin' his beak on cuttlefish bone. How soon d'ye think there wud be a battle?"

This is only one of the many interesting features you will find in the

NEXT SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH.

## HOGS BEAT BUTLER TO CITY GARBAGE

Substances Heretofore Reduced by Sanitary Company Will Be Used for Fattening Porks.

Taking a stand between the House of Delegates and the public, the Board of Public Improvement has decided on a plan for the disposal of the city's garbage which is expected to avert the necessity of making a contract, unfavorable to the city, with the St. Louis Sanitary Co.

It is proposed to carry the garbage on scows 20 miles down the Mississippi river to Chesley island, where the vegetable matter will be fed to cattle and hogs and the other substances probably dumped into the river.

It is intended to use this method until the House of Delegates is ready to pass an ordinance being prepared for the incineration of the garbage.

The plan has been worked out by President Phillips and the president's committee of the Board of Public Improvement.

Stations will be established along the river front where the garbage will be received and dumped on the scows. The scows will be towed to the island and dumped on a receiving platform, where it will be picked over for the valuable articles and then separated and disposed of in the manner described above.

The island is a mile long and a half mile wide. It is between the mouth of the Meramec river and Kimmewick. The greater part of it is cultivated, and several farmers are living on it. Contracts are to be closed with men who will construct pens for the cattle and hogs to be fattened there.

The ordinance being prepared will provide for incineration plants in different parts of the city.

## House's Delay Forced Action.

The recent defeat by the House of Delegates of the ordinance providing for the incineration of the garbage at a point five miles beyond the city limits was the cause of the adoption of the present plan, it being deemed necessary to do something to keep the city from being again placed at the mercy of Butler's sanitary company.

If something of the kind were not done the city would be compelled to make a contract with the Butler company at the company's own terms, as it was obliged to do when the last contract was made. The House of Delegates delayed action then, as it has done this time, until it was too late to make any arrangement other than with the sanitary company.

In consequence of the House of Delegates playing into the hands of the Butler company, the city has been paying since 1901 \$20,000 a year more for the removal of garbage than it paid during the 10 years preceding. The price paid from 1901 to 1903 was \$28,000 a year. Under the emergency contract which the city was compelled to enter into, in consequence of the delays in the House of Delegates, it has been paying \$125,000 a year since 1901.

The ordinance providing for the incineration of garbage was introduced in time to permit arrangements for its disposal in this manner on the expiration of the emergency contract, but the ordinance was delayed in the House and then defeated.

## HOT AIR AT THE WORLD'S FAIR

To keep employees warm. They should see the \$25 overcoats for \$13.99 at the Globe tomorrow.

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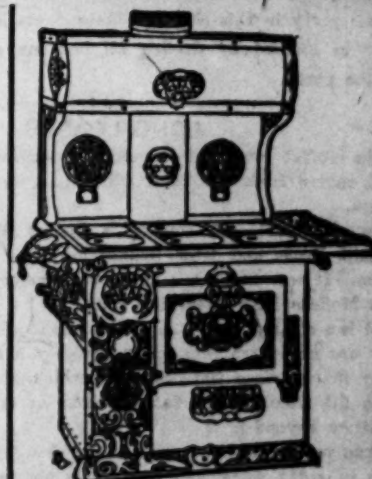
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## SCRATCH THESE CANDIDATES

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CYRUS F. WALKERIDGE  
Republican Candidate for Governor.

SAM E. COOK  
Democratic Candidate for Secretary of State.

The shock is great but we must have it—the city hall is finished.

Gen. Hancock may at times be tempted to write his name in pencil.

Now it is ex-Mayor, ex-Governor, ex-Secretary of the Interior President Doctor Francis.

Don't let us put St. Louis again at the end of the alphabet with Zachary and Zengendorf.

There is "an old-time boom" in Wall street. Let us hope there is not soon to be an old-time collapse.

"We have seen the United States dismember a sister republic—Columbia—for the sake of a canal," says Senator Edmunds. Mr. Edmunds should vote for Alton B. Parker.

## THE CONDITION OF SUCCESS.

Senator Smith told the Democratic campaign managers that New Jersey could be won for Judge Parker, but the condition of success is a vigorous campaign, which will crystallize the anti-Roosevelt sentiment and bring the voters to the polls. The Illinois Democratic managers report great progress with the moderate efforts permitted by slender campaign funds.

The conditions in New Jersey and Illinois represent the general conditions throughout the country. While the representatives of "high finance" and of monopolized industries are turning toward Roosevelt, whose cabinet changes and "fat-frying" campaign manager have convinced them that he is "safe," the plain people are inclined to oppose him on account of his imperialistic tendencies and are in revolt against monopoly. The double burden of increased taxation to support governmental extravagance and colonial folly and of monopoly prices oppresses them. Living is getting harder with the people and they cannot help but see that it is due to high tariffs and increasing monopolies, under Republican administrations.

The Cortelyou scandal shocks and disturbs the people who see in it the clear indication of the control of elections and of the government by the combinations of capital seeking governmental privileges and protection.

There ought to be no discouragement for Democrats therefore in the manifest turning of trust magnates and the money barons to the support of the Republican party. On the contrary, there should be encouragement. It offers the basis of a winning campaign of vigorous appeal to the love of American principles and to enlightened self-interest. There is a harvest of votes for a campaign of this kind.

But the condition of success is vigorous, intelligent effort. Public sentiment must be crystallized into action at the polls. The victory will not come to inactive forces. It must be won.

St. Louis Democrats who want to see their local organization completely freed from the domination of the Butler gang view with astonishment and alarm the retention of John R. McCarthy, Butler's employee, at the head of the Democratic city committee, through Mr. Hawes' own motion. The Butler forces were beaten in the primaries and had no voice in the selection of the Democratic local ticket. The result was a clean ticket. Reputable Democrats, rejoicing in this victory over the Butler forces, indulged the expectation that it would be an end of Butler domination, not only in this campaign, but in the future. But Mr. McCarthy turns up at the head of the local committee. It is a mistake. While it cannot affect the character of the ticket nominated, it reflects upon the sincerity of the party leaders and endangers the party's standing and prospects. McCarthy is not only an employee of Butler, but is at the head of the Butler combine in the House of Delegates and is therefore unfit to lead a reform campaign, at the head of which is Joseph W. Folk, who is opposed by all the Butler following. Mr. Hawes' plea that it was done in the interest of harmony is not acceptable. Harmony is desirable when it can be obtained without a sacrifice of principle; but if it involves a compromise of any sort between the forces of reform and the forces of corruption, it is a blunder. The kind of harmony that the Democratic party in this city and state needs is the kind that can only be secured by driving all boodlers and their allies out of the party.

## LONG LEASES.

The Moffat family of Midknoek, Dumfriesshire, Scotland, have just moved from the farm which they have occupied for 600 years.

In the fourteenth century a Moffat did good service for Robert Bruce and after Bannockburn the King gave him the farm. It was little, but the house was comfortable and there the Moffats have lived ever since.

It is a strange story. It is the rule in America that wherever you are an enterprising spirit impels you to go elsewhere. To stay in one place 600 years is unthinkable to a married pair, who fit from flat to flat and who never look forward to a tenancy beyond next May.

And yet, when we get used to the thought—and some of us do tire of going somewhere else, it is not repulsive. Possibly a few panting movers might be willing to accept a 600-year lease and adopt the "stationary state," that condition of calm where enterprise is not and static ecstasy rules supreme.

Only a few, however; landlords willing to serve such a trade should not overbuild. But if ten or a dozen flats with all conveniences were offered on lease for 600 years, good profits might be expected. To live 600 years in one house—O joy!

Mr. Carnegie having been enriched by the plunder of his countrymen is anxious that the system that enriched him shall be continued, except as to Canada, which he would have join us in free trade.

## THE FREE-BOOK AMENDMENT.

The objections to the free-book amendment advanced by Archbishop Glennon go equally to free buildings and free teachers. Free books are an essential part of free schools, which are established by the state, not as a charity, but from motives of sound public policy. The American policy, which originated with Thomas Jefferson, whose Democracy certainly had no taint of Socialism in it, contemplates free education as the objective; and towards this all communities are moving.

But the proposed amendment is so framed that it discriminates among the communities of the state. The principle of equality is not observed.

The taxable property of the state amounts to \$1,500,000,000.

The taxable property of the city of St. Louis is \$400,000,000, or one-third the total.

In round figures, the number of school children in the state is 900,000. Of these St. Louis has 160,000, or one-sixth the total.

On the basis proposed—5 cents on each \$100—the total fund realized will be \$800,000. Of this St. Louis will be required to raise \$200,000, but in the apportionment—based upon the number of pupils—the St. Louis school board will receive but \$100,000. The city pays one-third, but is allowed only one-sixth.

St. Louis voters will do well to give this a careful consideration. We already have free books in the city. Our local position cannot be improved in this respect. The question is: should the city put up \$100,000 for free books in the state?

The amendment, instead of placing the burden of free books on the state in general, should have made it a matter of local option. The cost of free books should be defrayed by the localities if a just principle of taxation is to be observed. All of the communities in the state should have free books, but it is unfair that St. Louis should pay an undue proportion of the cost and thus bear the burden of other communities. If the amendment is defeated, it will be due not to opposition to free books, but to the manifest injustice arising out of its slovenly drafting.

A vast movement of wreck and ruin, which, paradoxically, will injure no one, is graphically described and illustrated in the coming Sunday Post-Dispatch. It will take place shortly in St. Louis, but its effect will be felt all over the world. St. Louis will also be the starting point of a remarkable war squadron, under the command of an admiral, which will proceed down the Mississippi, saluting the towns it passes and making its port at New Orleans. It will menace no one, but will interest all, because its like was never seen before. A St. Louis woman's wonderful trip through one of the world's dark regions; the story of a St. Louis heiress and actress; a page devoted to the American girl; belles and beauties now in St. Louis, and many other features that will please the women, as well as articles on inventions, science and discovery, complete a Magazine which is in all respects the best of its kind.

## MINDING ONE'S OWN BUSINESS.

The Panama embarrassment is just the sort of trouble which must be expected, when individuals or governments ambitiously neglect to mind their own business.

It is given out that the Panama commissioners have disobeyed President Roosevelt's orders. That may be. There is room enough in Loeb's boat to accommodate all of them. But behind any such breach of discipline is the fact that Mr. Roosevelt himself went out of his way to dismember one squalid republic and construct another out of one of the remnants. Sworn to execute faithfully the office of President of the United States, he went "looking for trouble" as a "state maker" and he has found what he sought.

According to the Platonic definition justice means "minding one's own business." It is a pity that American statesmen are not always just.

Mr. Roosevelt says if re-elected "we" shall go on doing as we have done. What troubles are in store for us?

## LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

### INCREASE OF RAILROAD ACCIDENTS.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

In reference to your editorial on railroad accidents entitled "Above and Below" I beg to offer material for your conclusions drawn. The extraordinary number of fatalities on railroads last year is largely due to the carelessness of employees and to the fact that this should not be attributed to unionism. On the contrary, the incompetency of employees arises from the fatality of dispensing with the services of men of ripe experience and setting a premium upon the services of youthful experimenters. It is the old story of the small boy and the untimely gooseberries. Since the decapitation of men at the annual slaughter on railroads has increased from five to ten thousand.

JAS. M. MCKENZIE.

### THE LATE-COMER NUISANCE.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

During the 12 days of my visit I have studied your city, as well as the Exposition, and find much to commend in the beautiful parks, the excellent street-car service, clean streets, fine residences and enterprising business houses.

One thing I have found an annoyance and I have thought that it was probably the result of carelessness.

On Sunday I attended service at one of the leading churches. The hour set for commencing was 11 o'clock. At five minutes past the hour the pastor gave out the first hymn. The noise and confusion caused by the late-comers was sufficient to counteract the pleasure to be derived for the next 15 or 20 minutes.

Last evening I attended the most excellent presentation of "Ben-Hur" in the Olympic. Every seat in the house had been sold and the curtain went up promptly with about one-half of the audience in their places. For the next half hour the noise and confusion incident to seating the late-comers made it impossible to hear the play. The late-comers had not only frequently obscured the vision of those in the rear of the house.

Sometimes circumstances make it necessary for one to be late, but surely the great majority of these could have had no good reason for thus losing to themselves the opening of the play and causing annoyance to those who were promptly in their places.

O. A. TOWNE.

## POST-DISPATCH ANSWERS

Legal questions not answered. Medical matters not given. No posts accepted. Do not sign "Post-Dispatch" or "Post-Dispatch" initials in letters. Address all letters, "Answers, Post-Dispatch, City."

V. B. C.—Sanatorium is sanitarium corrupted.

A. L. P.—Missouri electoral votes, 18; Texas, 18.

LUCY RHODES.—Ask at 115 North Eleventh street.

M. C.—The government is not issuing a World's Fair half dollar.

A. T. B.—No criminal is disfranchised before the final decision in his case is given.

A. H. P.—The horses used in the "Ben-Hur" chariot race at the Olympic are real horses.

D.—Carnegie's New York address, 3 East Ninety-first street. We cannot say whether you would receive an answer.

G.—There must be a cutting from the rosebush. Get per-lytely dahlia bulb for planting; out-of-door planting, spring.

SUB.—"Laugh and the world laughs with you" was written by Ella Wheeler Wilcox or Col. John A. Joyce. Both claim the authorship.

W. K. AND WILL.—Naval recruiting, 622 Locust. One cannot be second lieutenant without having gone through the Annapolis Naval Academy.

(P)—Government measures height of river by fathoms. When 32.5 is recorded it indicates that the river is 32 feet and 5 inches above low water mark.

E. J. Q.—"We beg to advise draft drawn on you today for \$3000" is not grammatical. Little attention is paid to grammar when a business man must save time.

M. P.—Chopped hands may be the result of poor circulation. Put your system in order. Try cod-liver oil, soap and dry the face thoroughly as soon as possible.

A. W. B.—Wine produced by France in 1901, 1,784,554,554 gallons; Italy, annual average, 846,000,000; California, 1902, 40,000,000. Spain, annual average, 857,251,000.

H. P. W.—The application of a solution composed of menthol 10 grains, camphor 10 grains, and liquid salubine 1 oz. sometimes relieves intense itching of the skin.

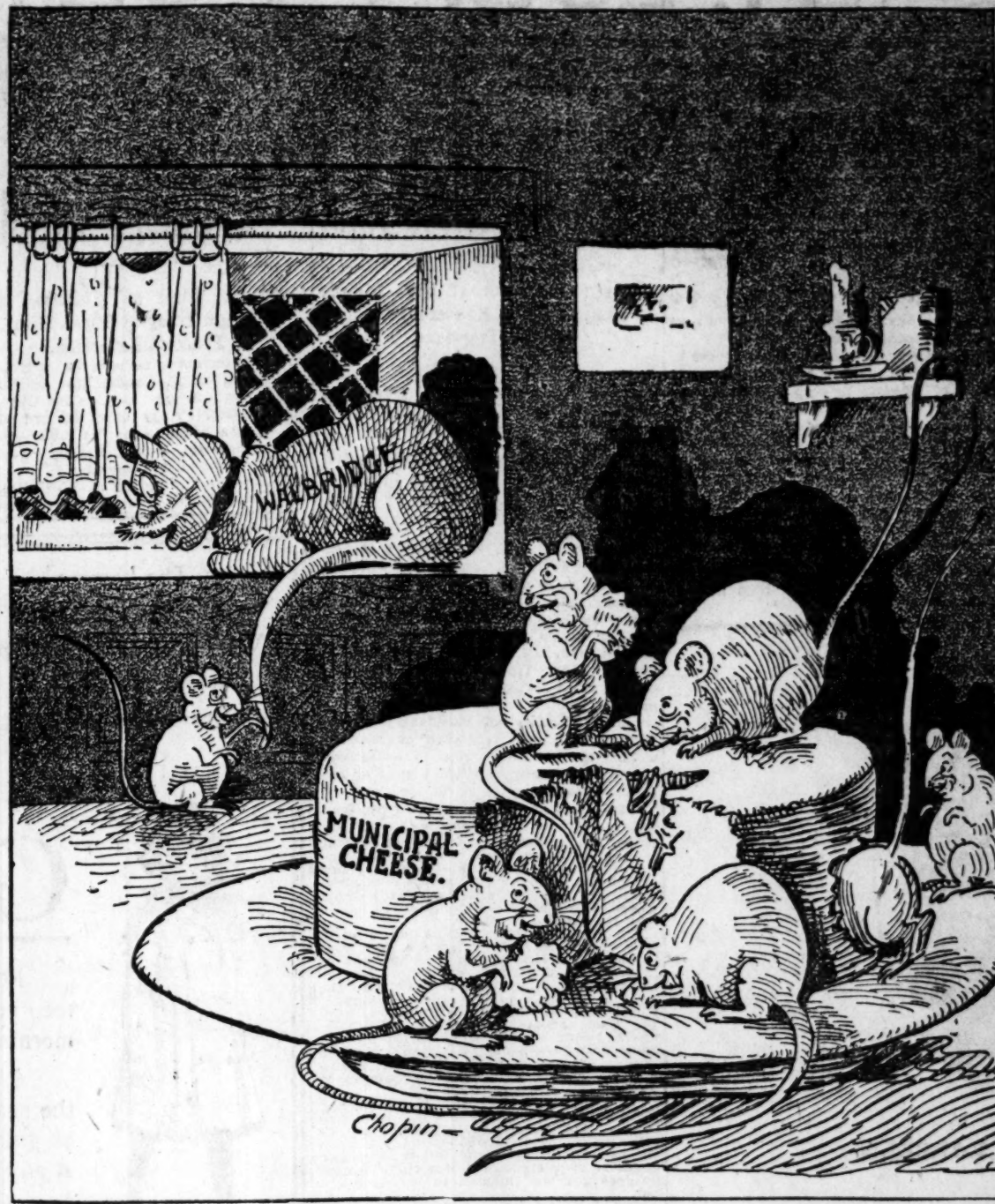
R. C. P.—"The Forbidden Land" is playing at Kansas City this week, and will be there until the 31st inst. First-class theatrical companies may be found at first-class hotels.

R. Q.—The lady who engaged a room at a dollar a day and occupied it from Tuesday morning at 10:30 until Sunday night at 7 o'clock should pay \$4. There is no fraction of a day in hiring a room. In this case the lady had the privilege of staying until Monday morning; if she declined, it was her own loss.

J. J. H.—Duration of patents: Austria, 15 years, but can be extended; Germany, 15; France, 15 and 18; Belgium, 25; but imported patent must not exceed the time for which it was granted; Russia, 15; 10 and 15 years; patent existing abroad, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 years; Great Britain, 14.

R. C. C.—At the close of the Chinese-Japanese war in 1895 China ceded Port Arthur to Japan, but on the protest of Russia, France and Germany, Japan gave it up, and in 1898 it was leased to Russia by China. Postage stamp mullage: Take of gum dextrine 3 parts, acetic acid 1 part, water 5 parts. Dissolve in a water bottle and add alcohol 1 part. Gum of great strength, which will also keep for a long time, is prepared by dissolving equal parts of gum arabic and gum tragacanth in vinegar.

## HE SLEPT WHILE OTHERS WORKED



## A MOMENT'S MERRIMENT

### A Difference.



Dix: He never says a good word about anybody.

Hix: Then I guess you never heard him talk about himself.

### Wise Father.



Mrs. Smith: I can't carry both the baby and the basket.

Mr. Smith: Then let the baby carry the basket.

### His Method.

"Cunel Booleky" repeated the landlord of the tavern at Paradise, Ky. "Well, she Cunel, to say the least about him, is one of the most methodical men you 'most ever met."

"Methodical" inquired the patent-churn man, who had put the first question.

"Yes, suh! Every time he gets drunk he goes over to the court house and insists upon payin' taxes on five imaginary green dogs. There's always exactly five of 'em, and they are always green. Yes, suh; the Cunel is a very methodical man."

### Hey, Diddle, Diddle.

"Let us fly!" urged the Dish.

"Lawks-a-day!" giggled the Spoon, yielding in sweet confusion. "A body 'd think you was a loving cup!"

That is to say, the ancient rhyme relates the fact that not otherwise than as it was, but with an infectious paucity of detail, —Puck.

## NEW YORK WORLD EDITORIAL TODAY

### MONEY IN POLITICS.

The Independent, which is supporting President Roosevelt, does not join in the attempt to laugh down the Cortelyou scandal. It summarizes the suspicious incidents connected with the management of the department of commerce and observes:

But while such is our confidence in the President and the chairman whom he selected, we cannot deny that the circumstances lead themselves to the theory so persistently laid before the public by the President's political foes.

Here is a department one branch of which has been engaged for the better part of a year and a half in obtaining by official warrant information concerning corporate combinations, many of which are commonly believed to exist and to be doing business in violation of law. This information is withheld from the public. The secretary, who by virtue of his office knows what it is, whether favorable or injurious, is made chairman of the national committee, and thus becomes an officer whose duty it is to receive, and even to solicit, contributions to the campaign fund.

The use of money in politics is no new thing. What is new is the appalling extent of it. Never before did it go to such shameless extremes as now. Never was it so insolently forced upon the attention of the nation.

The prizes of politics used to be the salaries of office. Politicians were rewarded for their activity with little jobs in the public service, and small percentages of their pay were assessed upon them for the campaign funds. This was the old "spoils system" that roused the rage of civil service reformers. But the present spoils system drenches politics with money where the old one sprinkled it. The petty salaries of office holders are no longer worth counting. When the profits of a single trust out of 440 can be swollen or shrunken by tens of millions of dollars by the action of the government, the system with which that trust is willing to buy the good will of the officers who control the execution of the laws makes all the little assessments that the Jay Hubbells used to collect from postmasters and tide waiters look like the contents of an infant class contribution box at Sunday-school.

By this system the trusts are substantially put in charge of the government. Naturally the collectors will insist that they have made no pledges. But what pledges are necessary? Among gentlemen of a community of interest everything can be implied.

The Morgan shipping combination is run by a voting trust. That is the ideal to which the contributors to the Cortelyou fund would like to bring the government of the Republic.

## JAPAN'S A TRIUMPH OF DEMOCRACY

BY JIHEI HASHIGUCHI.

It is curious to note how the Democratic people of America admire the aristocratic element of the Japanese people. While they detest aristocracy, they seem to admire the samurai or knights of Japan exclusively at the expense of the helmin (the commoners).

It is not unreasonable that they should from their ready-made opinion of the Japanese from the information the globe-trotters give them. The samurai are elaborately painted by these globe-trotters in books and magazine articles, while seldom, if ever, are the helmin even mentioned.

The samurai were privileged to be representatives of the Japanese in times past, yet even then, the economic Japan, the mainstay of the nation, was dependent upon the helmin. There are many cases in which the samurai borrowed money from the helmin and never returned it, on the ground that it was used for the country.

I used to see the lockers of the helmin merchants in which are old accounts of loans made to the samurai more than fifty years ago which have never been paid.

Since the Mikado proclaimed in 1870 the edict of five articles, one of which states that the country shall be governed by the popular will, the helmin awoke to see the light of day. They could not at first realize the benefit of suffrage and social equality. It was only after men like Itagaki Taisuke, who organized the liberal party of Japan about thirty years ago, in spite of the fact that he was of the samurai class advocated democracy that the helmin began to rise to the situation. Popular education under a public school system modeled on that of Massachusetts was introduced more than twenty years ago by that martyr, Mori Arinori, then minister of education, who had been in this country as the first envoy, and who is said to have been converted to a Christian. He was assassinated by an anarchist samurai because he lifted the curtain in front of the helmin's temple at sea with his case, which act was considered an insult to the imperial ancestors to whom the temple was dedicated. Education has promoted democracy and made men out of the helmin. Since the adoption of constitutional government the educated helmin have come to the front in the national diet. Today the majority of members of both houses are helmin.

Only in the executive department do we see a preponderance of the samurai, due to the fact that the samurai are by inherited characteristics fit to be the officials upon fixed salary.

But this preponderance of the samurai in the executive department will not last, for the rising generation of the helmin are fast acquiring the knowledge of official duties. The helmin young men are far superior to the samurai in mathematics and economic sciences. Mathematics, the essential part of the studies of mechanical, civil and electrical engineering, is in favor of the helmin. So when civil service examinations which the samurai could never advantage.

In the army the most important factors are the helmin. We need not go back to the Chinese war to hunt for evidence. The present war with Russia affords abundant proofs that the helmin have done services which the samurai could never have done.

Do you, my readers, think that the men who refused to surrender to the Russians off the coast of German and submerged

## JUST A MINUTE

For  
POST-DISPATCH  
Verse and Humor

### "The Original World's Fair Man."

Edwin R. Harris, "traveler and publisher," of Parsons, Kan., claims to be "The Original World's Fair Man," and in proof of his claim he has sent to the Post-Dispatch a copy of his book, "The Universal Republic," published in 1891, wherein he sets forth the advisability of holding a great exposition to celebrate the Louisiana Purchase.

This showing, he contends, effectually settles the claims of J. J. McInerney, editor of the Sentinel-Democrat of Alton, Ill., who recently "wrote a piece" claiming to be "The Original World's Fair Man," by reason of an editorial published in his newspaper April 30, 1892, in which he proclaimed the glories of Louisiana Territory and enthusiastically advised that its purchase be celebrated by a great World's Fair.

But this is not the only interesting point about Mr. Harris of Kansas. Mr. Harris has written a World's Fair ode. He wrote it last year before the World's Fair rush was on and he had time to build fifty-six four-line stanzas. He starts off by saying:

This Exposition should be the grandest show  
Ever seen by mortal man;  
Is born of the most colossal Trade  
Ever made by an American.

Mr. Harris waxed enthusiastic over both Napoleon and Jefferson, one of whom he terms "Field Marshal Fate" and the other "The Light and Scholar of His Age." And even more enthusiastic does he become over the great territory which one sold and the other purchased.

"Look," he says, "at the enormous area of this wonderful domain."

Behold the magical Chinee  
Of this original Louisiana;  
They are gems of modern progress,  
From New Orleans to Montana.

But, try as he may, Mr. Harris cannot get away from Jefferson and Napoleon. He is continually digressing from the main subject and digressing upon them. Listen:

As a literary lover and statesman,  
Jefferson was a philosopher,  
And the imperial Napoleon  
Was a prophet and a soldier.

In proof of his statement concerning the prophetic powers of Napoleon he says:

When this hero handed our commissioners,  
The deed to all Louisiana;  
His remarks were extremely significant,  
And he said in a dramatic manner:

"I have this day given unto England,  
A rival that will humble her pride."  
Time has fulfilled this prediction,  
Showing that he was prophetic indeed.

Mr. Harris harks back to the days of the Columbian Exposition for the purpose of pointing a moral, and says:

The beautiful White City at Chicago,  
Known as the Columbian Exposition;  
Was a magnificent spectacle,  
And a Congress of Religion.

There Freedom certainly had full sway,  
Progress and Light prevailed;  
It was a typical heavenly scene,  
Where the Eagles soared and sailed.

But, he warns us, for what reason is not apparent, "prejudice is the long-remembered spirit of haughty arrogance," and says:

This Exposition therefore should,  
To make a grand success,  
Work for International Unity  
And Universal Progress.

Whether or not Mr. Harris was looking for a stand-in with D. R. F. it is not ours to say. We can only judge as we read:

For great Effort, Energy and Enterprise,  
It is here fitting to say and True:  
That much of this brilliant Exhibition  
To David R. Francis is due.

Who is this enterprising David,  
That has such merit won?  
Edwin R. Harris also to be,  
The Prototype of Johnson.

In recognition of Edmund Work  
It would be just like the Fates;  
To select him as the coming Man  
For President of the United States.

If you will prejudice overcome,  
You can see in Francis the Light,  
That ruled the Sage of Montpelier,  
And made him a man of might.

They each were tall and had red hair,  
Blue Eyes and Plenty of Brawn;  
It's plain that each were chosen Agents  
Of Progression and Providence.

This count knowledge may surprise,  
But what could be more Appropriate,  
Than that this Exposition should be run  
By Thomas Jefferson Edgewood?

Well, that will be about all for D. R. F. But let us not leave this engaging subject, reader, before we shall have heard swayed by the force of Mr. Harris' final thriller. Having laid out his subject and dissected it thoroughly and brought his ode down to the fifty-fourth stanza, he passes to note the effect upon the reader, and then puts it right up to him boldly in the following language:

In conclusion what would you think  
If the writer was in Communication  
With the Omnipotent Spirit of Light  
That wrote the American Declaration?

Would you be Amazed or Marvel?  
Would you consider it an Epiphany,  
If Napoleon and Jefferson Disputed  
This Louisiana Contested One?

Gentle reader, it's up to you.

themselves into the water together with the Kinshu Maru were the samurai? You are mistaken; they were helmin soldiers from the Fourth division of Osaka.

Do you think that the men who fought fearlessly against the brave defenders of Nankai Hill in spite of the showering shells from the batteries overhead were the samurai? You are mistaken; they were the sons of the shopkeepers, the restaurant keepers, the grocers, the mechanics, the great Japanese school makers of Tokyo and the farmers of the neighborhood.

Do you think that the men who, in spite of the heat and rain in June, July and August in Manchuria, transported the provisions, the ammunition and at times the guns through the trackless hills and valleys were the samurai? You are mistaken; they were helmin from all parts of Japan.

It is the helmin that are fighting, and without the helmin Japan could never have won victory.



# **TWENTY-FIVE YEARS** **FROM TODAY** **IN ST. LOUIS**

BY O. B. JOYFUL.  
(From the Post-Dispatch of Oct. 21, 1929).

A dispatch from Washington, the capital of the United States before the government was removed to St. Louis in 1820, states that an enormous petrified club was dug up on the grounds of what was formerly the White House, which is now used as a private stable by John D. Rockefeller, Jr., who succeeded his late father as president of the Standard Oil Co. This club bears the initials "T. R.," and Prof. Spude of the Smithsonian Institution believes that it is none other than the famous "Big Stick" which was flourished so strenuously by Theodore Roosevelt, a former President of the United States, who was elected to the vice-presidency by Marcus Aurelius Hanna, a mighty senator of those days, and who became President through the death of his predecessor. If the opinion of Prof. Spude can be substantiated the club will be placed in the National Museum in St. Louis, to be preserved as a political curiosity.

The Indian mound which stands on the site of what was the Jefferson Club many years ago was opened yesterday by a party of anthropologists, headed by Prof. Hoar of the National Museum. A great many interesting skeletons and relics were found. One of the skeletons, which was laid out in a stilted manner, is believed to be that of "Snake" Kinney, an Indian subject who was credited with considerable influence a quarter of a century ago, and who was a member of the powerful Butler tribe.

Dr. David R. Francis, the venerable ex-president of the World's Fair, 1894, had another sudden attack of photographitis early this morning, but Dr. Goode Klidder was hurriedly called in and managed to relieve the condition of the distinguished patient after an hour of hard work. Dr. Francis became afflicted with this unfortunate malady by reason of many exposures during the World's Fair, and has never recovered from it.

An automobile belonging to Fritz Formaldyde, a milkman, became frightened during the artificial rainstorm this morning at Three Hundred and Fourth street and Ikettaylor boulevard and almost bit the owner's arm off before it could be pacified. The remarkable intelligence of these machines is being made a special study by Prof. Roarer of the Museum of Natural History.

Frank L. Harris of the Mobile & Ohio railway started for Europe this morning in his air-buggy, "The Mollie O." He will be gone about 10 days.

William Desmond, the veteran ex-chief of detectives, who retired three years after 50 years of service with the police department, is entertaining Sherlock Holmes, Jr., at his elegant country residence, "The Fly Cop," 10 minutes by the airship route west of the Eight Hundred and Forty-seventh Street Station.



"A LIBRARIAN," said the Society Girl, "stated to the National Library Association that in recent years the demand for dime novels has fallen off."

"People in real life," said the Club Woman, "do so many queer things now that the imagination of the dime novelist seems tame. But that reminds me—some women in Boston have started a birth insurance company. Didn't you see it? I know that nowadays they insure against fire and death and defalcation and almost everything, but I never thought anyone would insure against babies. What do you suppose President Roosevelt thinks of it?"

"Perhaps, though, that isn't the idea. It seems that one must pay an initiation fee and monthly dues. Then, when the first child is born one receives \$200; for the second, \$300, and so on up to \$500. I wonder what happens if there are twins. Do you suppose they double the amount? Maybe, though, twins are against the rules. They are very strict—the rules. One of them is that births in a family must be at least 18 months apart."

"Mr. Brown said that Boston is the birthplace of the statement that the constitution follows the flag; but he was willing to wager that this Boston company's constitution barred Utah. He doesn't think that the company can succeed, anyhow. He says that if they could write policies for the ultra-fashionables, there would be millions in it—practically all income. But, of course, their customers will come from the people who need the money, and they are not going to pay dues without getting the benefits."

"Anyhow, Mr. Brown says, he doesn't think a great deal of the scheme. He says it might be worth while if they would insure one against one's girl growing up to chew gum and flirt with strangers or guarantee that one's boy would not smoke cigarettes and wear his hat on the side of his head. Still, he said he supposed that in paying for new babies the company got its inspiration from the Scriptures."

"How is that?" asked the Society Girl.

"Why, 'To him who hath shall be given,' you know."

"But why," asked the Society Girl, "did dime novels remind you of birth insurance?"

"When I was young," said the Club Woman, "they used to run them as serials, and I can remember yet how anxiously we looked forward to the next one."

## **THE WEAKER SEX.**

Perhaps the most remarkable digestive apparatus on record, so far as human beings are concerned, passed out of existence recently when a certain Mrs. Williams died at Bristol, England, "at a good old age." One time, it is said, the lady seized a box of dominoes and swallowed 23 pieces. On another occasion she consumed one and a half pounds of gravel, and later she swallowed 13 iron screws. None of these things apparently harmed her.

She was a very new widow and on the way back from her husband's funeral she called with a few sympathetic friends at a house of refreshment. Gin was fixed upon as a beverage suitable to the occasion. "Any water with yours, Em?" inquired one of the ladies of the bereaved as she held out the jug. "Water!" shrieked the lonely

one. "Water! Lor' lumme! Ain't I got trouble enough as it is?"

She was telling the experiences of herself and her husband in a railway accident. "We were suddenly pitched clear out of the car," John he said to me, "Then he hurt?" "Not a bit," said I. "Are you up with his fist and gave me a black eye and we claimed \$500 damages. Now I call that real presence of mind!"—Chicago News.

## **When Baby Died.**

"If from your own the dimpled hands had slipped,  
And ne'er would nestle in your palm again;  
If the white feet into the grave had tripped!"

How brief the stay, as beautiful as fleeting,  
The time that baby came with us to dwell;  
Just long enough to give a happy greeting,  
Just long enough to bid us all farewell.

Death travels down the thickly-settled highway,  
At shining marks they say he loves to aim;  
How did he find, far down this lonely by-way,  
Our little girl who died without a name?

She seemed so like a tender bird whose winglets  
Are broken by the stress of rain and storm,  
With loving care we pressed the golden ringlets,  
And wondered could there be so fair a form;

For death had chiseled without a pause or falter  
Each feature that the sunny tresses frame,  
No change of scene nor length of time can alter  
Our little girl who died without a name.

We do not know the fond endearment spoken  
To which she listened when she fell asleep,  
And so, beside a column that was broken,  
We laid her to her slumber calm and deep.

We traced upon the stone with loving fingers  
These simple words, affection's tear to claim:  
"In dreams, beyond all earthly sorrow, lingers  
Our little girl who died without a name."

She sleeps serene where fragrant mossy willows  
In sweet and wordless tones forever wave,  
And summer seas in long and grassy billows  
Break into bloom around her lonely grave.

In memory's hall how many heroes slumber,  
We gild their deeds upon the scroll of fame;  
I treasure, far above this mighty number,  
Our little girl who died without a name.

—Alonso Leora Rice.

## **\*Kartoffel-Kloesse.**

I am afraid that if I had to cook my favorite dishes myself, they would cease to be favorites. There are too many good things to eat to pick one special dish and label it in preference to others. I remember one dish that was served to me in a German restaurant once, which made such an excellent impression upon me that I bribed the cook to give me the recipe, and that may be of interest to some readers.

Pare, boil and mash potatoes and put aside to cool. Three cups of potatoes, one cup of bread, two eggs well beaten separately, pepper, salt and nutmeg to taste, and some chopped parsley that has been heated in butter. The bread should be prepared as for croquettes, crusts removed, cut in squares, browned in butter in the oven, then crushed. The mixture should be very stiff. Mold into small balls and drop into salted, boiling water; keep water boiling for fifteen minutes, when the "kloesse" should be about twice the original size and done to the center. They may be served with bread crumbs browned in butter, placed on top of each "kloesse" (dumpling).—De Wolf Hopper in Good Housekeeping.

Visitor (at surgical hospital): Have you a dictionary that I can use for a moment? Attendant: No, sir. We don't keep one. Dr. Blank would be sure to cut out the appendix.—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

## **Losses Were Slight.**

From the Kansas City Journal.  
W. A. Wright, insurance commissioner of Georgia, attended recently an insurance men's banquet in Atlanta.  
"The president of an insurance company," he said, "once told me that, if you were interested in fire insurance you were amazed at the carelessness and the disregard of fire precautions to be found everywhere; and if you were interested in life insurance, it seemed as though men and women did not value their own nor their neighbors' lives at a penny. You got, he said, a new point of view on fire and death when you were financially interested in those calamities."

"He added that it seemed to insurance men as though mankind regarded conflagration and mortality much as the women on the river bank regarded her children's drowning—as a matter of course, not worth fighting against or grieving over."  
"This woman lived on the bank of a swift and deep stream. The stream flowed past her back door, and on the bank her children played."  
"A traveler passed in his boat one day and was appalled at the risk the little children ran."  
"Madam," he shouted to their mother, "aren't you afraid to let your children play so near the stream?"  
"Oh no," said the woman indifferently.

"Oh, no."  
"Have you lived here long, madam?" the traveler pursued.  
"Yes, a good many years," said she.  
"Well, I should think that, with the river so near, you would live in constant fear that some of your little ones would be drowned."  
"Oh, no," said the woman; "we have only lost three or four in that way."

Similia Similibus Curantur.  
"Jigson has just paid two doctors \$700 to cure his wife of some disease that resulted from wearing fashionable shoes."  
"Huh! High heels, weren't they?"—Puck.

## **The Woman and the Rib**

Adam gave his rib  
To make a woman's shape.  
(Thus the story's writ:  
There is no escape.)

Many an arctic whale,  
Witness of the blame,  
Also gave his rib  
For to make the same!

I sorrow not for man,  
He gets his ribbet back!  
But for the poor old whale,  
Alas, my friends, alack!  
—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

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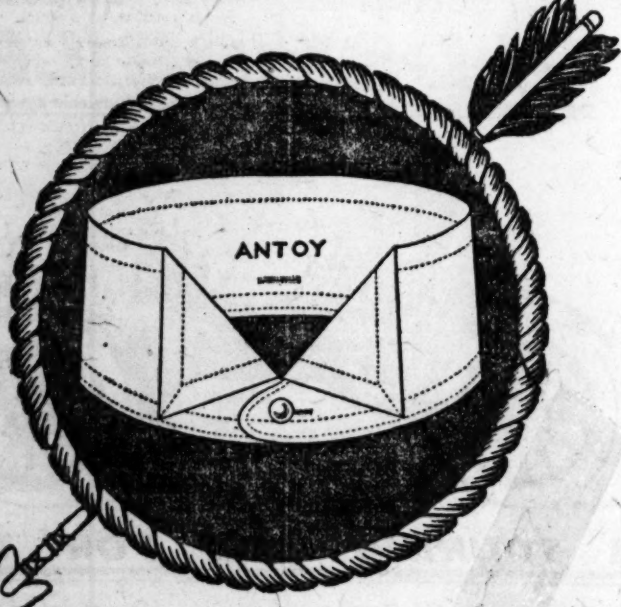
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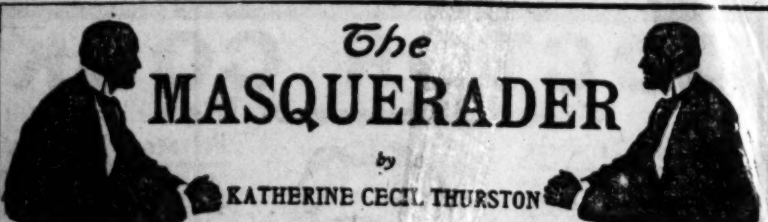
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**The MASQUERADER**

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"I am reading that most clever and wonderfully well-written novel, 'The Masquerader.' I have very serious heart trouble and may live years—and may die any minute. I am deeply regretting going without knowing the general end of that story. I know it? Will be as close as the grave itself if I may. I have a theory of the end. I think Loder is in some way the real Chicago. I just felt that (I have had so many troubles) it would be just my luck to die, and not to know the end."

The Editor of Harper's Bazar was very much interested in the letter that the advance proofs of "THE MASQUERADER" were sent to the lady.

This book is now for sale at all book-stores







## TRUST STOCKS STILL RISING

Liberal Inquiry in This Class Causes Gains of One to Four Points.

### TRACTION STOCKS ARE QUIET

Interest in These Issues Is Light and Prices Recorded Show Little Change.

The trading on the floor of the local stock exchange today was more active than any session recently experienced, and as has been the case for the past week the bulls were in absolute control. The sales were heaviest in the bank and trust stocks, and prices on this class of securities rose buoyantly. National Bank of Commerce was the strongest feature of the trading and on sales at \$30 gained four points. Mercantile Trust was two points higher at \$38, and Mississippi Valley also came forward with a gain of 2 1/2 points at \$24 1/2. Commonwealth Trust was in good demand and closed the session at \$20 bid for liberal amounts compared to sales yesterday at \$20. Gains of a point were also recorded by Mechanics' National Bank, the State National Bank and Merchants' National Bank. American Central Insurance jumped four on transfers at \$22 and 3/4. Missouri Trust receipts were 1/2 higher at \$13 1/2 and the stock of this institution was steady and in excellent demand at \$13 1/2. In the traction stocks the demand was only of minor proportions and the range of values was indifferent. Transit was not brought into the trading, but Transit receipts were on the upturn at \$5 1/2 and 3/4. United Railways preferred was steady on sales around \$7 1/2. The high point and the low point showing a range of only 1/4 and the close was at the low figure and showed no change from yesterday.

Full Session—Closing Quotations.

| St. Louis Transit Co. | 8 1/2  | 8 3/4  | 9 00   |
|-----------------------|--------|--------|--------|
| do receipts           | 8 7/8  | 8 7/8  | 8 7/8  |
| United Railways pri   | 5 1/2  | 5 1/2  | 5 1/2  |
| do 4 1/2              | 4 1/2  | 4 1/2  | 4 1/2  |
| Fourth National Bank  | 32 1/2 | 32 1/2 | 32 1/2 |

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|----------------------------|--------|--------|
| International Bank         | 217 00 | 218 00 |
| Mechanics' National Bank   | 252 00 | 252 00 |
| National Bank of Commerce  | 30 00  | 30 00  |
| State National Bank        | 250 00 | 250 00 |
| Third National Bank        | 250 00 | 250 00 |
| Commonwealth Trust         | 200 00 | 200 00 |
| Mississippi Valley Trust   | 24 1/2 | 24 1/2 |
| Mercantile Trust           | 38 00  | 38 00  |
| Bank of America            | 11 00  | 11 00  |
| Cotton Company             | 40 00  | 40 00  |
| First National Bank        | 25 00  | 25 00  |
| American Central Insurance | 22 00  | 22 00  |
| Transit                    | 5 1/2  | 5 1/2  |
| St. Louis National Bank    | 108 00 | 110 00 |
| Missouri Trust             | 13 1/2 | 13 1/2 |
| St. Louis National Bank    | 108 00 | 110 00 |
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| St. Louis National Bank    | 108 00 | 110 00 |

**SALES.**  
Transit receipts, 100 at \$5.75 and 100 at \$5.75, and 50 at \$5.75.  
Mechanics' National Bank, 10 at \$25.25.  
Commonwealth Trust, 10 at \$20.50 and 35 at \$20.  
Title Trust, 100 at \$24.50.  
American Central Insurance, 2 at \$23.50 and 10 at \$24.  
Mechanics' National Bank, 51 at \$30 and 10 at \$30.  
Missouri Trust receipts, 5 at \$13.50.  
Missouri Trust, 10 at \$13.50 and 10 at \$13.50.  
Missouri Trust, 1 at \$13.50, 8 at \$13.50 and 50 at \$13.50.  
State National Bank, 22 at \$31.00.  
State National Bank, 30 at \$17.00.  
Central Coal and Coke common, 10 at \$61.20 at \$60 and 35 at \$59.75.

### Jacobs Hat and Glove Co. Absolutely Solvent.

In yesterday's press appeared the notice of a suit filed against the Jacobs Hat and Glove Co. by L. S. Rupp, in which reflections were made upon the officers of the company and its financial standing. One of the largest hat dealers happened to be in the city today, and because of the filing of this petition he had him make an examination of our books, and our condition, and he telegraphed his firm in New York that we were solvent and perfectly good.

We ask the public to withhold judgment on the assertions made by Mr. Rupp, until the matters have been heard in court, at which time it will be made apparent that there is not a scintilla of truth in the assertions of the petition.

JACOB HAT AND GLOVE CO.  
By M. JACOB, President.

### CORONER INVESTIGATES DEATH

#### World's Fair Visitor Dies Suddenly at Buckingham Club.

Coroner Funkhouser is conducting an investigation into the death of Albert Sherwin, 76 years old, who was found dead in his room by his son, William W. Sherwin, at the Buckingham Club at 8 o'clock Friday morning.

Sherwin, So., was a retired banker of Cleveland, Ohio. With his son he came to the World's Fair several days ago. Thursday he is said to have complained of a pain in the chest, and when found Friday morning, Dr. Louis Butler said death was due to natural causes.

## A DAY OF RUMORS ON WALL STREET

Reports of the Passing of Control of Ontario and Western, and Talk of Consolidation of the Local Traction Companies Causes a Strong Market.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.  
NEW YORK, Oct. 21.—Initial prices on Wall street this morning favored the bullish element and liberal gains were established on the active list. The opening in Ontario and Western was the feature of the trading, the stock being taken in enormous blocks at 41, compared to a close yesterday at 40 1/2.

The London market for American issues was active and higher, and sentiment abroad remains cheerful, although consolations are slightly easier on both accounts. No adverse report in the market has developed over the time change in the slight degree the more cheerful sentiment prevailing at the close of the session yesterday and consolations are still favorable towards a higher level of prices.

Little if any news with a direct bearing on the securities market is forthcoming over night, and that submitted is of a highly indifferent nature. The heavy selling in the steel stocks for the last two days and especially in the United States Steel preferred issue is said to have been largely for the account of a powerful Pittsburgh pool. It is estimated that the sales from this source have been in the neighborhood of 150,000 shares.

The rumor in circulation that the Pennsylvania Railroad was to purchase the Ontario and Western has been of a highly doubtful nature, but the strength of this security in the market at present leads to the belief that favorable developments concerning this property will shortly be announced.

Opening prices and changes were as follows: Copper 64 1/2, ex-div. 1/4; Atchafalaya 86 1/2, adv. 1/4; Brooklyn 68 1/2, adv. 1/4; Baltimore & Ohio 44 1/2, adv. 1/4; Reading 77 1/2, adv. 1/4; Pennsylvania 109 1/2, adv. 1/4; St. Paul 107 1/2, adv. 1/4; Southern Pacific 82 1/2, adv. 1/4; U. S. Steel 81 1/2, adv. 1/4; U. S. Steel common 31 1/2, adv. 1/4; U. S. Steel preferred 81 1/2, unchanged.

Speculation still continued to favor the advancing side of prices in the second hour of trading and the general list made additional gains. The rise in some of the specialty issues was pronounced and special reasons were advanced for the movement. Metropolitan Street Railway stock was the conspicuous feature of the traction group on rumors of the early announcement of the long talked of traction deal involving this property. And although this rumor was again emphatically denied by one of the leading officials of the company, the street is confident that this company is the latest of a short time.

The United States Steel issues were again on the upturn over advanced over a point by 11 o'clock. The continued reports of improvement in the steel and iron industry together with the rumor of the conversion of the preferred stock is given as the cause of the strength displayed.

Early predictions of the coming bank statement are for a favorable showing and although the movements of currency so far this week are less favorable than that for the same period last week the indications are that through a large shifting in the loan account from the banks to the trust companies this loss will be largely counteracted. The operations of the banks with the subtreasury so far recorded, show the banks to be gainers and the subtreasury item in the bank statement should show an increase.

Railroad earnings submitted are still showing large increases. Forty-one roads for the second week of October show an average gross increase of 8 per cent, the largest gain shown since the present improvement in earnings started.

Nearing the noon hour the trading shifted largely to the coal stocks and strong advances were recorded by the Pennsylvania and Baltimore & Ohio. The speculation in Reading was of very heavy volume and the stock crossed 77. The general opinion is that this property will shortly be placed on a dividend basis and the street is following this lead. Mexican Central was also brought into the active list on the report that the recent resigning president of the Rock Island system would be placed in control of a combination of the Mexican railways. The market at the noon hour was still active and advances continued. The stock of the Mexican Central was 15 1/2, compared with 14 1/2 last night.

NEW YORK, Oct. 21.—Reports of the passing of control of the Ontario and Western to the New Haven made the former stock the feature of the opening dealings today. First sales were of 15,000 shares at 41 and 40 1/2, compared with 40 1/2 last night.

## UNCLE SAM WILL AUCTION EXHIBITS

Unclaimed Imported Articles to Be Sold for Custom Taxes After World's Fair's Close.

Foreign exhibitors at the World's Fair have paid the United States customs officials at St. Louis \$50,000 for articles sold at the World's Fair.

The actual amount of duty paid into the department at St. Louis by these people up to the first of October was \$320,000 and John J. Miller, chief customs official at the Fair, estimates that an additional \$30,000 in duties has been paid to him since the first of the month.

The major portion of this sum has been paid by exhibitors in the Manufactures and Varied Industries buildings. Mr. Miller says the Japanese exhibitors especially have sold great quantities of their wares at the Fair. The exhibitors brought these articles into the United States without paying any duty upon them, but as fast as sales were made the duty was paid to the customs officer at the Fair. Mr. Miller says a great deal of stuff brought to the Fair by foreign exhibitors will be abandoned at the close of the Fair. All such, if dutiable, will become the property of the customs department and will be sold at auction by Judge Callenham, surveyor of the port.

Mr. Miller says this was done at Chicago, but that the government received very little money for such abandoned property. It consists of building materials, decorations, carpets, rugs, bottles, jars, etc., brought here by foreign exhibitors.

## THEIR PROTEST NOT ACTED ON

Forty-three Republicans, claiming residence in the Second precinct of the Sixth ward, went to the office of the circuit clerk Friday morning to apply for an order from circuit judges directing judges and clerks of the precinct mentioned to restore their names to the registration list from which they assert they were stricken off.

Chief Deputy Clerk John Fitzsimmons refused to accept the petition because the filing time for such complaints had passed.

WE CONTINUE SATURDAY THE EXTRAORDINARY

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## COP FAILED AND HORSE KILLED SELF

Policeman's Bullet Went Wide, But Fright Caused Injured Animal to Meet Death.

A horse belonging to the McConnell & Pilcher Coal Co. committed suicide at the grocery store of John J. O'Neill, 2754 Clark avenue, Friday morning, by plunging its head through a large window glass and cutting its throat from ear to ear.

The animal's self-destruction was preceded and accompanied by a series of comic incidents which gave the 2700 block in Clark avenue a lively 10 minutes.

The horse collided with a bakery wagon and so injured itself that an officer was sent for to shoot it.

Leonard L. Davidson, a patrolman of the Eighth district, was detailed on the case. Davidson is left-handed, and it is said that he has sometimes boasted that few right-handers could beat him shooting a revolver.

However that may be, it is a fact that when the officer reached the scene of the accident on Clark avenue a considerable number of persons were awaiting his coming; that he had everyone stop back and give him an open shot; that he stood five paces from the horse and did carefully and deliberately level his revolver at the animal's head for no inconsiderable period of time; that at the flash of the sun and the prate horse, stung on the back and crazed by the report of the weapon so close to its ear, did jump to its feet and with three or four great leaps alight in the window of O'Neill's store, causing a crashing of glass and a stampede both ways on the sidewalk and toward the rear of the store.

The horse, which had been in the store a minute, and then died to death from the ugly wound opened in its neck by the glass.

## DEMOCRATS HAVE BIG PLANS

Arrangements Are Being Made for Monster Celebration at the Coliseum Oct. 29.

Headquarters have been established in room 215 of the Commercial building by the Jefferson Club to complete arrangements for the big parade and meeting of St. Louis Democrats on the evening of Oct. 29, when it is expected 7000 men will march in the parade.

Marvin C. Livingston, who made the speech nominating Judge Parker at the national Democratic convention, will be the chief speaker at the meeting in the Coliseum and Thirteenth streets, following the parade.

The arrangements committee of 100 met at the Jefferson Club Thursday night. Chairman Haves announced that Benjamin J. Selkirk had been made grand marshal of the parade with H. S. Ramsey and Percy R. Hoenst, chief assistants.

# TOMORROW AT 8 P.M.

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MUSEGIRL WANTED-Girl for general housework.  
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MUSEGIRL WANTED-Girl for housework and  
lighting house work. 3429 Lawton av.

MUSEGIRL WANTED-Family for general housework;  
strictly private family. 2000 Maple.

MUSEGIRL WANTED-Small girl or old lady  
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MUSEKREPER WANTED-Hotel Northern, corner

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework in small family; no washing; \$20. 4700 Fernon st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Colored girl or woman to assist in general housework. Apply 2723 Pine.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good girl for general housework; good home and wages. Apply at 2520 Whittemore pl., west side Lafayette Park.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; \$5. 4003 West Pine; or young girl 16 or over.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 8834 Russell av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl to assist in plain  
 housework. 1536 Lafayette av.  
 HOUSEGIRL WANTED—White girl to assist with  
 general housework; good home and wages. 4818  
 Olive st.  
 HOUSEGIRL WANTED—I want a girl for gen-  
 eral housework; small family; good pay; a good  
 home for the right girl. Call at my office, room  
 215 Fullerton bldg, 7th and Pine sts.  
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 housework; no washing or ironing. 2940 Pine  
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Single, owning home, West End. good girls; good habits; general housework; or working outdoors; must be able to cook, clean, and iron; good plain cook; hot water heat and gas range; janitor service; no outside work; fair compensation for labor; state age and references. Ad. G 169, Post-Dispatch. (66)

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LAUNDRIES WANTED—Steady, reliable home work; no laundry; 815 weekly; established firm; call room 421, 721 Olive st. (8)

LAUNDRIES WANTED—First-class colored laundress. Apply 3871 Lindell bl. (9)

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LAUNDRESS WANTED—Woman to do laundry and housework three days a week; phone Delmar 2508. 7884 Euclid av. (10)

LAUNDRIES WANTED—An experienced laundress first part of week; steady work; \$1.50 per

NDRESS WANTED—A competent landlady; reference required. Call 1819 Longfellow.

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REGGIRL WANTED—Competent nursegirl for walking child; good wages. 4388 McPherson.

RE WANTED—Nurse speaking French, to care for two boys, 3 and 6 years of age. 3 Housatonic pl. (b)

REGGIRL WANTED—Neat nursegirl, white, 2024 Cook av.

RE WANTED—Child nurse for twins, 2½ years old; reference required. 53124 Morgan

**REG GIRL WANTED**—Young suregirl for baby  
 wear old. Call at once at 4915 Linden bl.  
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**OFFICE ASSISTANT WANTED**—Experienced,  
 familiar with mail order business. Room 1  
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 ical. Apply 808 N. Commercial.  
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**LESSERS WANTED**—On ladies' clothes. Lau-  
 rier Dyeing and Cleaning Co., 1800 Park. (6)  
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**SALES LADIES WANTED**—For

cloak and suit department; steady position and best salary. Gate-ly's, 312 Broadway. (6)

SALES LADY WANTED — Bright young saleslady for cloak and suit department.  
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**EMPLOYERS ON WOMEN'S LINE work:** Apply to Mr. Treble, care Brown Shoe Co., 18th and W. Ave. (7)

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OVER WOMAN WANTED-Salary \$6 per week.  
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ITCHERS WANTED-Lining makers, sew-  
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on men's fine shoes. Roberts, Johnson &  
Co., 13th and McManis sts. (7)

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West Dispatch. (7)

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LITRNS WANTED-Dinner work. 418 N. 5th.  
COLUMBIAN WANTED-Dead mailman and

**WITNESSES WANTED**—Wale and skitman  
 and help. 3803 West Belle pl.  
**WITNESSES WANTED**—For right work; must be  
 married; no employment; wages \$1 per  
 week. Landis restaurant. 3305 Olive.  
**WITNESSES WANTED**—Experienced short  
 waitress. 1111 Union av. Take suburban  
 car.  
**WITNESSES WANTED**—At once; come ready  
 work. 2838 Easton av.  
**WITNESSES WANTED**—\$1 per day and  
 wage. Apply 3803 the Church, Cafe  
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ATTENDES WANTED—Two neat waitresses  
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**RESTAURANT**—For sale, restaurant, across from large room, rent \$10 per mo. 303 Manchester.

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**VIRGIN HOUSE**-For sale; \$70 day;  
10 rooms; all conveniences; leaving  
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cheap; everything else doing good  
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rent; spacious incomes; direct lin-  
e reference income; \$100 down, small  
balance; adv.-Dispatch.

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well kept, \$100 want; direct line to Fair.  
adv.-Dispatch.

**MISCELLANEOUS WANTS.**

14 N. words 30-

**GEOGRAPHY**, new runs used  
persons wanted; foreign money exchange;  
adv.-115 N. 11th.

**WANTED**-Cook, Genl. adv.-

811 N. 9th st.

**THES WANTED**-Wanted must be cheap  
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# POST-DISPATCH COMPLETE RECORD OF MARKETS

## GRAIN MADE A FIRM FINISH

Markets Were Unsettled Until Late When a General Advance Was Made.

## WHEAT DECLINED EARLY

Armour Said to Be Once More Backing the Bull Side of the Wheat Market.

Wheat had both sides running today, but at close the best of it, it lay then a full cent better for the day. December made no gain. Chicago had Armour backing the bull side again, private wires, about 1.7 when appear to be bullish, reporting that market maker loaded up for another campaign in private prices. That idea was the principal reason given for buying. The Northwestern market was reported there or elsewhere locally the cash selling at 1.10, 1.11, 1.12, 1.13, 1.14, 1.15, 1.16, 1.17, 1.18, 1.19, 1.20, 1.21, 1.22, 1.23, 1.24, 1.25, 1.26, 1.27, 1.28, 1.29, 1.30, 1.31, 1.32, 1.33, 1.34, 1.35, 1.36, 1.37, 1.38, 1.39, 1.40, 1.41, 1.42, 1.43, 1.44, 1.45, 1.46, 1.47, 1.48, 1.49, 1.50, 1.51, 1.52, 1.53, 1.54, 1.55, 1.56, 1.57, 1.58, 1.59, 1.60, 1.61, 1.62, 1.63, 1.64, 1.65, 1.66, 1.67, 1.68, 1.69, 1.70, 1.71, 1.72, 1.73, 1.74, 1.75, 1.76, 1.77, 1.78, 1.79, 1.80, 1.81, 1.82, 1.83, 1.84, 1.85, 1.86, 1.87, 1.88, 1.89, 1.90, 1.91, 1.92, 1.93, 1.94, 1.95, 1.96, 1.97, 1.98, 1.99, 2.00, 2.01, 2.02, 2.03, 2.04, 2.05, 2.06, 2.07, 2.08, 2.09, 2.10, 2.11, 2.12, 2.13, 2.14, 2.15, 2.16, 2.17, 2.18, 2.19, 2.20, 2.21, 2.22, 2.23, 2.24, 2.25, 2.26, 2.27, 2.28, 2.29, 2.30, 2.31, 2.32, 2.33, 2.34, 2.35, 2.36, 2.37, 2.38, 2.39, 2.40, 2.41, 2.42, 2.43, 2.44, 2.45, 2.46, 2.47, 2.48, 2.49, 2.50, 2.51, 2.52, 2.53, 2.54, 2.55, 2.56, 2.57, 2.58, 2.59, 2.60, 2.61, 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## GARDEN OF GODS SCENE OF ROMANCE

Former Coroner of St. Louis Marries  
Colorado Girl Whose Parents  
Were Absent.

Dr. Judson D. Irwin, former coroner of St. Louis, will arrive in this city Saturday from Denver, Colo., with his bride, who until Thursday noon was Miss Marie Barbour. They were married while the young lady's parents were in St. Louis. The latter had objected to the marriage, holding that their daughter, who is 19, was too young to be married.

The romance of Dr. Irwin and Miss Barbour began in the Garden of the Gods, near Colorado Springs, where they first met. Dr. Irwin, who had been denounced by his friends as a confirmed bachelor, was instantly captivated, and it was not long until he proposed and was accepted.

They decided to be married within a few days, early in August, but the objections of the bride's parents prevailed for the time, though they determined on an early ceremony.

When Mr. and Mrs. Barbour started for the World's Fair a telegram addressed to Dr. Irwin flashed past them when they were only a few miles out of Denver. It was from Miss Barbour, and read:

"Mother and father off for St. Louis. Come at once. All ready."

Dr. Irwin went, and the ceremony was performed Thursday afternoon by Rev. R. F. Coyne in the parsonage of Central Presbyterian Church, Denver.

Dr. Irwin has engaged a suite of rooms at the Buckingham Club, where he will take his bride. After a short time spent in seeing the World's Fair they will go to Europe, to spend the winter, returning to St. Louis in the spring.

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### STOP KNOCKING PORTLAND

Lewis and Clark Exposition Will Be  
Opened June 1, 1905, as An-  
nounced on All Bills.

PORTLAND, Ore., Oct. 21.—The follow-  
ing official statement has been given out at  
the Lewis and Clark Centennial head-  
quarters here:

"In view of some grossly erroneous  
statements, circulated mainly at St. Louis.

It is made necessary to state that the Lewis  
and Clark Centennial will positively open  
on June 1, 1905. The exposition has under  
foot and ready to receive exhibits five of  
the main exhibition palaces. Shipments of  
foreign and domestic exhibits will begin to  
come in shortly after the 1st of December.  
The exposition has the sanction and the  
recognition of the United States and by the  
act of Congress of April 13, 1904, the expo-  
sition is made international. The United  
States government buildings will be com-  
pleted by April 1, 1905. Postponement of  
the exposition has never for an instant been  
contemplated, cannot be considered and  
from all the advanced preparation, no pos-  
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